

## 2024-25 Florida State Schedule

O24	1 St. Leo University	W, 84-67
O31	1 West Florida	W, 100-56
N4	Northern Kentucky	W, 74-62
N9	2 Rice	W, 73-65
N12	Tarleton State	W, 72-52
N15	Florida	L, 74-87
N19	Hofstra	W, 79-61
N22	3 vs. Temple	W, 78-69
N24	3 vs. UMass	W, 92-59
N26	Western Carolina	W, 91-57
D3	4 at LSU	L, 75-85
D7	* at NC State	L, 74-84 (OT)
D14	5 vs. Tulane	W, 77-64
D17	Winthrop	W, 82-64
D21	* Louisville	L, 76-90
J4	*Syracuse	W, 90-74
J8	* at Miami	W, 80-65
J11	* at Clemson	2:00 p.m.
J15	* Pittsburgh	9:00 p.m.
J18	* Georgia Tech	12 Noon
J22	* at Cal	9:00 p.m.
J25	* at Stanford	7:00 p.m.
J29	* Virginia Tech	7:00 p.m.
F1	* at Boston College	2:00 p.m.
F4	* Notre Dame	7:00 p.m.
F12	* at Wake Forest	7:00 p.m.
F15	* Clemson	12 Noon
F19	* Miami	9:00 p.m.
F22	* at Louisville	12 Noon
F24	* North Carolina	7:00 p.m.
M1	* at Duke	7:00 p.m.
M4	* at Virginia	9:00 p.m.
M8	* SMU	4:00 p.m.

All Home Games are played at the Donald L. Tucker Center on the Florida State University Campus. 1 – Exhibition Game, Donald L. Tucker Center, Tallahassee, Fla.; 2 – The Battleground 2K24, Toyota Center, Houston, Tex.; 3 – Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame Tip-Off, Mohegan Sun, Uncasville, Conn.; 4 - ACC / SEC Challenge, Pete Maravich Assembly Center, Baton Rouge, La.; 5 – AutoNation Orange Bowl Basketball Classic, FLA Live Arena, Sunrise, Fla. \*Denotes ACC Game

## 2024-25 ACC Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Duke	5	0	1.00	13	2	.867
Clemson	4	1	.800	12	4	.750
Louisville	4	1	.800	11	5	.688
Pittsburgh	3	1	.750	12	3	.800
Wake Forest	3	1	.750	11	4	.733
N. Carolina	3	1	.750	10	6	.625
<b>Florida State</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.500</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.733</b>
SMU	2	2	.500	11	4	.733
Stanford	2	2	.500	10	5	.667
NC State	2	2	.500	9	6	.600
Georgia Tech	2	3	.400	8	8	.500
Boston College	1	3	.250	9	6	.600
Virginia	1	3	.250	8	7	.533
Cal	1	3	.250	8	7	.533
Notre Dame	1	3	.250	7	8	.467
Syracuse	1	3	.250	7	8	.467
Virginia Tech	1	3	.250	6	9	.400
Miami	0	4	.000	4	11	.267

## Leonard Hamilton's Career Record

	W	L	Pct.	Years
Career	632	495	.561	1987-Pr.
at Okla. State	56	63	.471	1987-90
at Miami	144	147	.495	1991-00
<b>at Florida State</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>.603</b>	<b>2002-Pr.</b>

## FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES (11-4 OVERALL, 2-2 ACC) AT

CLEMSON TIGERS (12-4 OVERALL, 4-1 ACC)  
SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 2025; 2:00 P.M.  
LITTLEJOHN COLISEUM (10,325)

CLEMSON, S.C.

LEGENDS RADIO NETWORK (JEFF CULHANE, ARIYA MASSOUDI)  
ESPNU (ANISH SHROFF, DAVID PADGETT)

*"Malique Ewin – he performed (against Miami). He makes plays on the defensive end. He gets 20 and 10 most every night. He's a great player."*

Michael Carter-Williams  
ACC Network  
Nothing But Net

## SEMINOLES BACK ON THE ROAD TO PLAY CLEMSON AT LITTLEJOHN COLISEUM

Florida State, which has won two consecutive ACC games with victories over Syracuse at home (90-74, January 4) and over Miami on the road (80-65, January 8) travels to play its second consecutive ACC road game at Clemson inside Littlejohn Coliseum in Clemson, S.C. on Saturday January 11, 2025 at 2:00 p.m. The Seminoles enter their game against the Tigers having won two straight, four of their last five and eight of their last 11 since a 79-61 win over Hofstra at the Donald L. Tucker Center in Tallahassee on November 19, 2024. Florida State's victory at Miami on Wednesday night was their fifth victory away from home with wins coming over Rice (in Houston), Temple (in Uncasville, Ct.), UMass (in Uncasville, Ct.), vs. Tulane (in Sunrise, Fla.) and at Miami (in Coral Gables, Fla.). Entering Saturday's game at Clemson, the Seminoles have won five ACC road games in the last two seasons (13 games) with two victories at Miami, and one each at Notre Dame, at Syracuse, and at Boston College. Following Saturday's game at Clemson, the Seminoles play host to Pittsburgh (Wednesday, January 15, 9:00 p.m.) and Georgia Tech (Saturday, January 18, 12 Noon) to match its longest ACC homestand of the 2024-25 season.

## SEMINOLE HEAD COACH LEONARD HAMILTON BY THE NUMBERS...

...He is ranked fifth in ACC history (all games, all coaches) in victories with 432 wins in the ACC while at Florida State;

...He is ranked third in ACC history in home court ACC wins with 126. He is ranked third behind only Mike Krzyzewski (265, 1981-22) and Dean Smith (197, 1961-97);

...He is ranked fourth in ACC history (regular season ACC) wins with 194. He moved into sole possession of fourth place (surpassing Maryland's Gary Williams) with the Seminoles' victory over Syracuse in Tallahassee on January 4;

...He is ranked fifth in ACC history for regular season and ACC Tournament victories combined with 209 wins. He is one ACC win from tying Gary Williams for fourth place among all ACC coaches for combined ACC regular season and ACC Tournament victories;

...He is ranked sixth in ACC history in ACC road wins with 69. He needs six ACC road wins to surpass Gary Williams of Maryland (75, 1990-11) for road wins in ACC history.

## HONORS CANDIDATES WATKINS AND EWIN RUN DOUBLE-FIGURE SCORING STREAKS TO 12 GAMES EACH

Senior All-America candidate Jamir Watkins (10 points) and junior All-ACC candidate Malique Ewin (20 points) both scored in double-figures in Florida State's victory over Miami and both players enter Saturday's game against Clemson having scored in double figures in 12 consecutive games. Watkins (225 total points / 18.8 ppg) Ewin (199 total points / 16.6 ppg) have scored double-figures in each Seminole game since November 15 against Florida. As the Seminoles' top two scorers through the first 15 games of the season (Watkins is ranked third in the ACC in scoring with a career-high 18.7 ppg scoring average while Ewin is ranked 19<sup>th</sup> in the ACC in scoring and is averaging a career-high 13.7 points per game).

## EWIN IS THE ACC'S LEADER IN FIELD GOAL SHOOTING PERCENTAGE

All-ACC Candidate, who has scored in double figures and who is averaging 18.5 points scored per game in the first four ACC games of his career, enters Saturday's game as the ACC leader in field goal percentage shooting with a career-high .588 field goal shooting percentage. Ewin is shooting .690 percent from the field (49 of 71) in the last six games since December 7, 2024 at NC State and is shooting .700 percent (35 of 50) in his four ACC games.

## DAQUAN DAVIS A PERFECT 10 IN THE LAST TWO GAMES

Freshman Daquan Davis was a perfect 10 of 10 from the free throw line in Florida State's win over Syracuse on January 4 in Tallahassee and earned 10 assists in Florida State's victory at Miami. He became the first freshman in school history to make a perfect 10 of 10 free throws in a game in the Seminoles' victory over the Orange.

## LOOK FOR FLORIDA STATE TO...

...Defeat Clemson and gain its third consecutive ACC victory. The Seminoles have defeated Syracuse (90-74, January 4) and Miami (80-65, January 8) in their last two games. The Seminoles most recently won five consecutive ACC games during the 2023-24 season with consecutive victories over Georgia Tech (82-71, January 3), Virginia Tech (77-74, January 6, 2024), Wake Forest (87-82, January 9, 2024), Notre Dame (67-58, January 13, 2024), and Miami (84-75, January 17, 2024); ...Defeat Clemson and gain its second consecutive ACC road win. The Seminoles most recently won back-to-back ACC road games during the 2023-24 season with wins at Notre Dame (67-58, January 13, 2024) and at Miami (84-75, January 17, 2024).

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

Rk.	Team (FPV)	24-25 Rec.
1.	Tennessee (45)	14-0
2.	Auburn (15)	13-1
3.	Iowa State	12-1
<b>4.</b>	<b>Duke</b>	<b>12-2</b>
5.	Alabama	12-2
6.	Kentucky	12-2
7.	Marquette	13-2
<b>8.</b>	<b>Florida</b>	<b>13-1</b>
9.	UConn	12-3
10.	Texas A&M	12-2
11.	Kansas	10-3
12.	Houston	10-3
13.	Illinois	11-3
14.	Mississippi State	13-1
15.	Oregon	13-2
16.	Michigan State	12-2
17.	Oklahoma	13-1
18.	Gonzaga	12-4
19.	Memphis	12-3
20.	Purdue	11-4
21.	West Virginia	11-2
22.	UCLA	11-3
23.	Ole Miss	12-2
24.	Michigan	11-3
25.	Utah State	14-1

**USA TODAY POLL**

Rk.	Team (FPV)	Points
1.	Tennessee (21)	765
2.	Auburn (10)	749
3.	Iowa State	711
<b>4.</b>	<b>Duke</b>	<b>670</b>
5.	Alabama	651
6.	Marquette	581
7.	Kentucky	560
<b>8.</b>	<b>Florida</b>	<b>529</b>
9.	Texas A&M	488
10.	UConn	461
11.	Houston	454
12.	Kansas	438
13.	Mississippi State	372
14.	Michigan State	350
15.	Illinois	300
16.	Oklahoma	287
17.	Oregon	284
18.	Gonzaga	246
19.	Purdue	228
20.	Memphis	192
21.	UCLA	147
22.	Ole Miss	119
23.	West Virginia	110
24.	Michigan	98
25.	Utah State	73

**Noting All-America Candidate  
Jamir Watkins**

Jamir Watkins – I have switched my number this season from No. 2 to No. 1 for my final collegiate season. I wore both No. 0 and No. 1 in high school at Trenton Catholic, No. 0 during my career at VCU, and No. 2 during my first season at Florida State. I think it's a great looking number. I will also become the first player in my family to earn a college degree and I want to show the younger members of my family that they, too, can earn a college degree.

**FLORIDA STATE IS THE SECOND-TALLEST TEAM IN THE NATION**

Florida State has been measured as the nation's second-tallest team in the nation by Ken Pomeroy's analytics. The Seminoles' roster contains 12 players listed at 6'5 or taller, 10 at 6'7 or taller, five taller than 6'10, and one seven-footer. Florida State is annually one of the tallest and lengthiest teams in all of college basketball. According to analytics supplied by the legendary Ken Pom, Florida State was the tallest team in the nation during the 2023-24 season.

**Breaking Down the Nation's Tallest Team**

Rank	School	Avg. Height (KP Metrics)	Average Height
1.	Duke	79.6	6-6.3
<b>T2.</b>	<b>Florida State</b>	<b>79.2</b>	<b>6-6.0</b>
T2	Elon	79.2	6-6.0
4.	Illinois	79.1	6-5.9
5.	Indiana	79.0	6-5.8

**DURING FLORIDA STATE'S SECOND HALF AGAINST MIAMI...**

...The Seminoles shot .630 percent from the field (17 of 27) and scored 41 points. At the same time, the Seminoles limited Miami to a .400 shooting percentage, 12 baskets made (12 of 30), and 40 points scored;

...The Seminoles earned 16 assisted baskets on 17 made field goals (.941 percent). Florida State's only unassisted basket came on a turnaround jumper by Malique Ewin at the 6:47 mark of the second half – a bucket which put the Seminoles up by a 67-50 score;

...The Seminoles earned four blocked shots and two steals while forcing five turnovers. Florida State outscored the Hurricanes 11-3 on turnovers and 11-0 on second chance points;

..The Seminoles turned the basketball over on three times in the second half;

...The Seminoles made five of 10 shots from the 3-point line and outscored Miami, 15-9, from beyond the arc;

..The Seminoles led by as many as 25 points (80-55) on a Malique Ewin dunk with 2:57 left to play.

**NOTING FLORIDA STATE'S 26 ASSISTS AGAINST MIAMI**

Led by 10 assists from All-ACC Freshman Team candidate Daquan Davis, the Seminoles earned a season-high 26 assists in 32 baskets in their win over Miami on Wednesday night in Coral Gables. The 26 assists tied the Florida State record for most team assists in an ACC game (also 26 against NC State on January 15, 1995, 26 against Clemson on Feb. 20, 2017, and 26 against Boston College on February 20, 2017) and were the most assists in a game since Florida State was credited with 26 assists in a 104-72 victory over Boston College on February 20, 2017. The Seminoles totaled 26 assists on 39 baskets in that win over the Eagles. The school record for assists in a game is 36 against Baptist College on February 5, 1977 when the Seminoles totaled 36 assists in 56 buckets in a 139-72 victory.

**FLORIDA STATE'S ASSISTS IN THE ACC STATISTICS**

Florida State enters Saturday's game against Clemson ranked fourth in the ACC in assists with a 14.8 team assists per game average. The Seminoles' assists total against the Hurricanes ranks as their season-high and the second time this season they have earned 25 or more assists in a game. Florida State's 26 assists against Miami is the highest by an ACC team against an ACC team this season and is the second-highest total by an ACC team this season just behind Georgia Tech's 27 assists against Alabama A&M on December 28, 2024. The Seminoles' 26 assists are the most by an ACC team against an ACC team since Duke totaled 27 assists against Pittsburgh in the ACC Tournament on March 9, 2023.

**Breaking Down Florida State's Top Assist Totals in 2024-25**

Opponent	Assists	Field Goals	Assist Pct.	Notes
UMass	25	33	.758	Chandler Jackson leads Seminoles with 6 assists
Miami	26	32	.813	Daquan Davis leads Seminoles with 10 assists

**FLORIDA STATE FROM THE 3-POINT LINE**

Led by Taylor Bol Bowen's four-of-four shooting night from the 3-point line against Miami, the Seminoles made a season-high 10 3-point shots in defeating Miami on Wednesday night. Florida State is averaging 8.0 3-point field goals made and 82.0 points in the its last four games after averaging 6.3 3-point field goals made and 78.1 points scored per game in their first 11 games of the season.

**Breaking Down The Seminoles From The 3-Point Line In The Last 4 Games**

Opponent	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	Notes
Winthrop	7	20	.350	Jamir Watkins leads Seminoles with 3 3FGM
Louisville	8	20	.400	Jamir Watkins leads Seminoles with 4 3FGM
Syracuse	7	18	.389	Bol Bowen and Davis lead Seminoles with 2 3FGM
Miami	<u>10</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>.417</u>	<u>Bol Bowen leads Seminoles with 4 3FGM</u>
Last 4 Game Totals	32	82	.390	Seminoles averaging 8.0 3FGM in last 4 games
First 11 Game Totals	<u>69</u>	<u>218</u>	<u>.317</u>	<u>Seminoles averaged 6.3 3FGM in first 11 games</u>
Improvement			+0.073	Seminoles averaging 82.0 ppg score in last 4 games

**SEMINOLES FROM THE FIELD**

Florida State has shot 50 percent or better from the field in each of their last four games and enters Saturday's game against Clemson ranked fifth in the ACC with a team field goal shooting percentage of .473 percent.

**Breaking Down The Seminoles From The Field In The Last 4 Games**

Opponent	FGM	FGA	Pct.	Notes
Winthrop	31	61	.508	Malique Ewin shoots .667 from field (10 of 15) for 21 points
Louisville	29	55	.527	Malique Ewin shoots .636 from field (7 of 11) for 17 points
Syracuse	30	56	.556	Malique Ewin shoots .636 from field (7 of 11) for 14 points
Miami	<u>32</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>.500</u>	<u>Malique Ewin shoots .714 from field (10 of 14) for 20 points</u>
Totals	122	236	.516	Malique Ewin shooting .667 from field (34 of 51) 180 ppg average

**Florida State Basketball  
Upcoming Milestones**

**Leonard Hamilton  
Victories as an ACC Coach**  
432 (Career at Florida State)  
+31 (needs)  
462

To become the 4<sup>th</sup> Winningest Coach in ACC History (surpassing Gary Williams of Md.)

**Leonard Hamilton  
ACC Regular Season Victories**  
194 (Career at Florida State)  
+18 (needs)  
212

To become the 3<sup>rd</sup> Winningest Coach in ACC History – surpassing Roy Williams of North Carolina

**Florida State  
All-Time Victories**  
1317 (current)  
+33 (needs)  
1,350

Florida State has an all-time record of 1,317-923 for a winning percentage of .589

**Jamir Watkins  
Career Points**  
1,316 (current)  
+34 (needs)  
1,350

Averages 12.1 points per game for his career and 16.5 points per game in 48 games as a Florida State Seminole

**Jamir Watkins  
Free Throws Made at Florida State**  
263 (current)  
+9 (needs)  
272

To move into 20<sup>th</sup> place in Florida State history with 272 career free throws made

**Jamir Watkins  
Career Steals**  
148 (current)  
+2 (needs)  
150

His 64 steals in 2024 were tied for the 18<sup>th</sup> highest single season total in school history

**Jamir Watkins  
Career Games Played**  
109 (current)  
+18 (needs)  
125

To reach the 125 career games played milestone

**Jerry Deng  
Career 3-Point Shots Made**  
64 (current)  
+11 (needs)  
74

Made 43 3-point field goals and shot .391 from the 3-point line in his one season at Hampton University

**Justin Thomas  
Career Rebounds**  
325 (current)  
+25 (needs)  
350

To reach the 350 career rebounds milestone

**POSSIBLE STARTING LINEUP FOR FLORIDA STATE...**

F #1 Jamir Watkins (18.7 ppg and 4.5 rpg; 15 pts and 4 rebs against Clemson, January 20, 2024)  
F #10 Taylor Bol Bowen (8.2 ppg and 5.7 rpg; 0 pts and 4 rebs against Clemson, February 24, 2024)  
C #12 Malique Ewin (13.7 ppg and 7.5 rpg; First career game against Clemson)  
G #0 Chandler Jackson (7.4 ppg and 2.3 apg; 7 pts and 2 asts against Clemson, January 28, 2023)  
G #5 Daquan Davis (9.0 ppg and 2.7 apg; First career game against Clemson)

**...AND TOP RESERVES**

G #3 Bostyn Holt (3.6 ppg and 1.3 apg; First career game against Clemson)  
F #7 Jerry Deng (6.3 ppg and 2.5 rpg; First career game against Clemson)  
G #25 Justin Thomas (6.5 ppg and 1.9 rpg; First career game against Clemson)  
G #19 AJ Swinton (2.3 ppg and 1.1 rpg; First career game against Clemson)  
F #21 Alier Maluk (3.1 ppg and 1.9 rpg; First career game against Clemson)  
G #7 Anastasios Rozakeas (0.1 ppg and 0.1 rpg; First career game against Clemson)  
F #11 Christian Nitu (1.3 ppg and 0.7 rpg; First career game against Clemson)

**POSSIBLE STARTING LINEUP FOR CLEMSON**

F #0 Viktor Lakhin (10.5 ppg, 6.0 rpg; First career game against Florida State)  
F #4 Ian Schieffelin (13.3 ppg, 10.8 rpg; 7 pts and 6 rebs against Florida State, January 20, 2024)  
F #7 Chauncy Wiggins (8.9 ppg, 3.0 rpg; 9 pts and 3 rebs against Florida State, Feb. 15, 2023)  
G #1 Chase Hunter (17.2 ppg, 2.5 apg; 14 pts and 2 asts against Florida State, January 20, 2024)  
G #11 Jaeden Zackery (9.6 ppg, 3.3 apg; 19 pts and 4 rebs against Florida State – at Boston Col. – Feb. 20, 2024)

**FLORIDA STATE VS. CLEMSON - A SERIES HISTORY**

The Series: Florida State leads the all-time series, 46-39  
First Game: December 28, 1951; Clemson 56, Florida State 52  
Last Game: February 24, 2024; at Clemson 74, Florida State 63  
Last Florida State Win: February 15, 2022; at Florida State 81, Clemson 80  
Last Clemson Win: February 24, 2024; at Clemson 74, Florida State 63  
Last Florida State Win in Clemson: February 19, 2019; Florida State 77, at Clemson 64  
Last Clemson Win in Clemson: February 24, 2024; at Clemson 74, Florida State 63  
Current Streak: Clemson has won 4  
Current Streak in Clemson: Clemson has won 5  
Florida State Record on January 11: 0-1, January 11, 1997; Clemson 76, at Florida State 70

**FLORIDA STATE'S LAST FIVE GAMES AGAINST CLEMSON**

<u>Feb. 25, 2024</u>	<u>Jan. 20, 2024</u>	<u>Feb. 15, 2023</u>	<u>Jan. 28, 2023</u>	<u>Feb. 15, 2022</u>
Florida State 63 at Clemson 74	at Florida State 67 Clemson 78	Florida State 54 at Clemson 94	at Florida State 81 Clemson 82	at Florida State 81 Clemson 80

**FLORIDA STATE VS. CLEMSON – THE LAST GAME**

Clemson's Joe Girard III scored a game-high 24 points on four made 3-point shots and a perfect 10 of 10 shooting from the free throw line to lead the Tigers to a 74-63 victory over Florida State at Littlejohn Coliseum on February 25, 2024. Girard scored 15 of his 24 points in the second half as the Tigers held the lead throughout the final 20 minutes to gain the win. Junior Jamir Watkins topped Florida State with 18 points, while Primo Spears scored 16 and Baba Miller totaled 12. It was the 13<sup>th</sup> consecutive game that Watkins had in double figures. Watkins also led the Seminoles with eight rebounds. Led by 10 second-half points from Watkins, seven by Miller and six by Spears, the Seminoles chipped away at their deficit and were within five with five minutes remaining to be played. Two free throws from Watkins narrowed the Clemson lead to 60-55. The Tigers, though, closed the game on a 14-8 burst to gain the win. Spears led the Seminoles with 10 points in 11 first half minutes of playing time. He played well as the Seminoles' leading scorer off of the bench for the game with his 16 points. Spears totaled three steals and one assist and finished tied with Watkins for the team lead with six field goals made.

**TODAY'S REFEREES**

Today's referee is Ted Valentine and the umpires are Mark Schnur and Jeff Pon

**2024-25 FLORIDA STATE ROSTER**

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/Last School
0	Chandler Jackson	G	6-5	205	Jr.	Memphis, Tenn./Christian Brothers Academy
1	Jamir Watkins	G	6-7	210	Sr.	Trenton, N.J./VCU
3	Bostyn Holt	G	6-7	200	Sr.	Portland, Ore./University of South Dakota
4	Jason Simpson	G	5-10	170	Sr.	West Palm Beach, Fla./St. John's
5	Daquan Davis	G	6-1	176	Fr.	Baltimore, Md./Overtime Elite
7	Jerry Deng	F	6-9	220	So.	Norcross, Ga./Hampton University
9.	Anastasios Rozakeas	G/F	6-7	225	Fr.	Athens, Greece/Lyceum High School
10	Taylor Bol Bowen	F	6-10	205	So.	Jericho, Vt./Brewster Academy
11	Christian Nitu	F	6-11	220	Fr.	Whitby, Ontario, Canada/Port Erie International Aca.
12	Malique Ewin	F	6-11	230	Jr.	Lawrenceville, Ga./South Plains C.C.
15	Jalen Crawford	G	6-0	145	Fr.	Tallahassee, Fla./Maclay School
19	AJ Swinton	F	6-6	200	Fr.	Cabin John, Md./Bishop O'Connell
21	Alier Maluk	F	7-0	218	Fr.	Baldwin, Pa./Long Island Lutheran
25	Justin Thomas	G	6-7	184	Jr.	Baton Rouge, La./Texas San Antonio
35	Waka Mbatch	F	6-10	203	So.	Serekunda, Gambia/KOTU Secondary School
43	Jesse Jones	G	6-4	195	Sr.	Clermont, Fla./Babson College

**PRONUNCIATION GUIDE:** Jamir Watkins – Jah-Mir Watkins; Bostyn Holt – Boston Holt; Daquan Davis – Day-Quan Davis; Jerry Deng – Jerry Dang; Anastasios Rozakeas – Anna-Stas-Sis Row-a-Kay-Auss; Taylor Bol Bowen – Taylor Bowl Bow-En; Christian Nitu – Christian Knee-Two; Malique Ewin – Muh-Leak U-In; Alier Maluk – A-Leer Ma-Luke; Waka Mbatch - Wah-Kah M bahtch (short M)

## Florida State Basketball By The Numbers

**.444** Senior All-American candidate Jamir Watkins is shooting .444 from the 3-point line (12 of 27) and averaging 20.6 points scored in the last five games. Florida State is 4-1 in those five games.

**.690** Junior All-ACC candidate Malique Ewin is shooting .690 from the field in the last six games (49 of 71). He enters Saturday's game as the ACC's leader in field goal shooting percentage with a .588 shooting mark from the field.

**.750** Sophomore Taylor Bol Bowen is shooting .750 from the field (12 of 16) and the 3-point line (six of nine) in the last two games.

**.833** Senior Bostyn Holt is shooting .833 from the free throw line (five of six) in the last two games. He was a perfect two of two from the free throw line and scored four points in Florida State's victory over Miami on Wednesday night in Coral Gables.

**.867** Freshman Daquan Davis is shooting .867 from the free throw line (13 of 15) in the last four games. He was a perfect 10 of 10 from the line in Florida State's victory over Syracuse on January 4 in Tallahassee.

**1.3** Junior Chandler Jackson has four steals – including two against Miami – in the last three games for a 1.3 steals per game average. He enters Saturday's game against Clemson with 22 steals this season – his single-season career-high of 24 steals during the 2023-24 season.

**1.8** Freshman Daquan Davis has earned seven steals in the last four games – an average of 1.8 steals per game. He totaled his career-high of four steals in Florida State's win over Winthrop on December 17 and totaled three steals in the Seminoles' victory over Syracuse on January 4.

**2.0** Sophomore Taylor Bol Bowen has eight blocked shots (2.0 bpg) in the last two games including his career-high of three blocked shots in Florida State's victory over Syracuse.

**11** Florida State is undefeated, 11-0, when it outscores its opponent.

**12.8** Sophomore Taylor Bol Bowen is averaging 12.8 points scored per game (51 total points) in his last four games. He has scored in double-figures against Winthrop (13 points), Syracuse (14 points), and Miami (16 points).

**14** Freshman Daquan Davis leads the Seminoles in assists with 40, has at least one assists in 14 of Florida State's 15 games, and has earned multiple assists in 10 of the first 15 games of his career.

**115** With a team-high 24 3-point shots made this season, senior All-America candidate Jamir Watkins has made 115 career 3-point shots and averages 1.1 3-point field goals made for his career.

## FLORIDA STATE IN THE LAST FOUR GAMES

Florida State is shooting .516 from the field, .390 from the 3-point line, averaging 18.0 assists per game, 7.3 steals, 6.3 blocked shots, and 82.0 points scored – and are 3-1 -- in their last four games.

## JAMIR WATKINS CAREER NUMBERS...

...He has scored 1,316 career points and needs 34 points to reach the 1,350 career point plateau;

...He has 148 career steals and needs 2 steals to reach 150 for his career;

...He has been credited with 195 career assists and needs 5 to reach 200 for his career;

...He has made 387 career free throws and needs 13 to reach 400 for his career;

...He has made 403 career field goals and needs 47 to reach 450 for his career.

## WATKINS FROM THE 3-POINT LINE

Senior All-America candidate Jamir Watkins has made multiple 3-point field goals eight times this season including in four of the last five games. He was two of three from distance in the Seminoles' victory over Miami on Wednesday night. He has made a team-high 24 3-point shots (with half of his total coming in the last five games when he has averaged better than 20 points scored per game).

## Breaking Down Watkins Recently From the 3-Point Line

Opponent	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	Notes
vs. Tulane	2	6	.333	Totalled 29 points in win over Tulane in Orange Bowl Classic
Winthrop	3	8	.375	Scored 23 points in win over Winthrop at home
Louisville	4	6	.667	Scored 25 points in home ACC game against Louisville
Syracuse	1	4	.250	Scored 16 points in home ACC win over Syracuse
at Miami	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>.667</u>	<u>Scored 10 points in ACC road win at Miami</u>
Last 5 game Totals	12	27	.444	Averaging 20.6 points in the last five games
First 10 Games Totals	12	44	.273	Averaged 17.7 points in first 10 games

## WATKINS GETTING TO THE FREE THROW LINE

Senior All-America candidate Jamir Watkins enters Saturday's game at Clemson as the national and ACC leader in free throws attempted (he is tied for first with PJ Haggerty of Memphis with 135 attempts) and tied for third in the nation in total and is the ACC leader (with Ketron Shaw of Maryland Eastern Shore with 100 made free throws). Watkins has been to the line in 13 of the Seminoles' 15 games – he did not get himself to the free throw line in the Seminoles' wins over Northern Kentucky (November 4) or at Miami (January 8). Watkins averages 19.5 points scored per game when he gets to the line during a game and 13.5 points scored per game when he does not get the line in a game.

## Breaking Down Watkins From The Free Throw Line

Season	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Notes
2020-21	44	59	.746	Averaged 2.3 FTM/Game
2022-23	80	111	.721	Averaged 2.3 FTM/Game
2023-24	163	205	.795	Averaged 4.9 FTM/Game
2024-25	<u>100</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>.741</u>	<u>Averages 6.7 FTM/Game</u>
Totals	387	510	.758	Averages 3.6 FTM/Career

## WATKINS SCORING IN HIS LAST 31 GAMES

Senior All-America candidate Jamir Watkins has scored in double figures in 31 of his last 32 games as a Seminoles – a streak that began with a 19-point scoring performance in a win over Wake Forest on January 9, 2024. He is averaging 18.1 points scored per game in each Seminole game since January 9, 2024 and is just four total points away from a 34 game double figure scoring streak. During his two seasons as Florida State, he is just 17 points total from scoring double figures in each of his 48 games as a Seminole.

## Breaking Down Watkins' Scoring Streak

Season	Games	Points	PPG	Notes
2023-24	19	337	17.7	Career-high 34 points against Virginia Tech in the ACC Tourn
2024-25	<u>12</u>	<u>225</u>	<u>18.8</u>	<u>Season-high 29 points against Tulane</u>
Totals	31	562	18.1	Double figure scoring in 31 of last 32 games

## CHANDLER JACKSON SCORING

Junior Chandler Jackson scored four points in Florida State's victory over Miami and has scored at least two points in each of his first 14 games of the season. He enters Saturday's game against Clemson averaging a career-high 7.4 points scored per games and has scored in double-figures in three games this season.

## Breaking Down Jackson's Career Scoring Numbers

Season	Games	Points	PPG	Notes
2022-23	29	105	3.6	Double-figure scoring in two games as a freshman
2023-24	31	153	4.9	Double-figure scoring in four games as a sophomore
2024-25	<u>14</u>	<u>104</u>	<u>7.4</u>	<u>Double-figure scoring in three games as a junior</u>
Totals	74	362	4.9	Double-figure scoring in nine career games

## JACKSON BLOCKS CAREER-HIGH THREE SHOTS IN WIN OVER MIAMI

Junior Chandler Jackson enters Saturday's game against Clemson with a single-season career-high six blocked shots – including a single-game career-high of three blocked shots in the Seminoles' victory over Miami.

## Breaking Down Jackson's Career Blocked Shots Numbers

Season	Games	Blocks	Notes
2022-23	29	5	Season-high 1 blocked shot vs. five teams
2023-24	31	5	Season-high 1 blocked shot vs. five teams
2024-25	14	6	Career-high 3 blocked shots in win over Miami, January 8, 2025

## What's My Number

**Chandler Jackson** -- I wear 0 at Florida State because it's a tough-looking number, and one of my favorite players, Russell Westbrook, wears 0.

**Jamir Watkins** -- I have switched my number this season from No. 2 to No. 1 for my final collegiate season. I wore both No. 0 and No. 1 in high school at Trenton Catholic, No. 0 during my career at VCU, and No. 2 during my first season at Florida State. I think it's a great looking number. I will also become the first player in my family to earn a college degree and I want to show the younger members of my family that they, too, can earn a college degree.

**Bostyn Holt** -- I wear No. 3 at Florida State. It's a number I have worn throughout my career -- when it has been available. I wore No. 5 at South Dakota, No. 3 during my two seasons at Utah, No. 3 at Coffeyville C.C., and during high school.

**Daquan Davis** -- I wear No. 5 at Florida State because that's the number I wore as a senior in high school and it's a number that I think looks great on a basketball uniform.

**Jerry Deng** -- I wear No. 7 at Florida State to honor New York Knicks star Carmelo Anthony who has always been my favorite player. I wore No. 15 during my only year at Hampton.

**Taylor Bol Bowen** -- I wear No. 10 at Florida State because my older brother, Deng Adiang, wore the number when he was an AAU star player. Deng later played at the University of Vermont.

**Malique Ewin** -- I wear No. 12 at Florida State in respect to my best friend who is no longer with me. It's the number I began wearing when I started playing basketball in the eighth grade and it is a meaningful number to me.

**AJ Swinton** -- I wear No. 19 at Florida State. I wore No. 0 at Bishop O'Connell, at Oak Hill, and at DeMatha throughout my high school career. I connect with number 19 because Proverbs 19:21 from the Bible reminds me to approach my journey with faith and perseverance, trusting that God's purpose is guiding me through both the highs and lows.

**Alier Maluk** -- I wear No. 21 at Florida State because it is 12 backward -- which is a number that I have worn -- and earned success with while wearing the number throughout my entire career. I wore the No. 12 when I began playing in Baldwin, Pa.

**Justin Thomas** -- I wear No. 25 at Florida State because of an ESPN 30 of 30 story I saw on a player named Benji Wilson. The show is about a young, tall, skinny kid who reminds me of myself who worked his way up and proved himself in basketball. As he rose to the top, he sadly lost his life due to gun violence.

## EWIN'S DOUBLE-DOUBLES

Junior All-ACC candidate Malique Ewin has earned three double-doubles -- the first three of his career in this season with a three coming in the last seven games. The newcomer to the Seminole lineup is averaging 19.3 points and 14.0 rebounds while shooting .731 from the field in his three double-double performances at LSU, against Winthrop, and at Miami in earning the first three double-doubles of his career.

### Breaking Down Ewin's Double-Doubles

Opponent	Pts	Rebs	Notes
at LSU	17	17	Shot 11 of 14 (.786) from the field
Winthrop	21	15	Shot 10 of 15 (.667) from the field
at Miami	20	10	Shot 10 of 14 (.714) from the field
Totals	58	42	Shooting 31 of 43 (.731) from the field

### MALIQUE EWIN IN THE ACC STATISTICS...

...He is ranked first in the ACC in field goal percentage with a .588 mark. He is averaging six made field goals per game; ...His is ranked tied for third in the ACC with a 3.2 offensive rebounds per game average. He has more offensive than defensive rebounds in five games this season;

...He is ranked ninth in the ACC in rebounding with a career-high 7.5 rebounds per game average. He is one of 14 players in the ACC who has pulled down more than 100 total rebounds;

...He is ranked 19<sup>th</sup> in the ACC in scoring with a career-high 13.7 points per game scoring average. He is the only player in the top 20 in the ACC in scoring who has not made a 3-point shot this season.

### EWIN WITH AN 11-GAME DOUBLE FIGURE SCORING STREAK

Junior Malique Ewin has scored in double figures in each of the last 12 games (199 total points) and is averaging 16.6 points scored per game since a 10-point scoring total against Florida on November 15, 2024. He has nearly tripled his scoring average in his last 12 games as compared to his first three games of the season.

### Breaking Down Ewin's Scoring Streak

Games	Points	PPG	FG Pct.
Last 12	199	16.6	.632 (84 of 133)
First 3	17	5.7	.300 (6 of 20)

### DAVIS EARNS CAREER-HIGH 10 ASSISTS IN FLORIDA STATE'S WIN OVER MIAMI

Freshman Daquan Davis earned a career-high 10 assists in Florida State's 80-65 win over Miami in Coral Gables on Wednesday night. He enters Saturday's game against Clemson as the Seminoles' leader with 40 assists and a 2.7 assists per game average. The 10 assists by Davis marked the first 10 assist game by a Florida State player since Trent Forrest totaled 10 assists against Wake Forest on January 8, 2020.

### DAVIS IS ONE OF SEVEN IN DOUBLE FIGURE STEALS FOR ACC STEALS LEADERS

Freshman Daquan Davis has 18 steals, is one of seven Seminoles in double-figure steals for the Seminoles who lead the ACC in steals with a 9.1 steals per game average. He has multiple steals in four different games, seven steals in the last four games (1.4 spg), and earned his career-high of four steals in Florida State's win over Winthrop on November 17.

### TAYLOR BOL BOWEN IN HIS LAST TWO GAMES

Sophomore Taylor Bol Bowen is averaging a near double-double of 15.0 points (30 total points) and 8.0 rebounds (16 total rebounds) while shooting .750 from the field (12 of 16) and .667 from the 3-point line (six of nine) in the last two games. He totaled the second double-double of his career (14 points and 10 rebounds) in the Seminoles' 90-74 victory over Syracuse on January 4 in Tallahassee.

### BOL BOWEN FROM THE 3-POINT ARC IN FLORIDA STATE'S WIN OVER SYRACUSE

Florida State's Taylor Bol Bowen was a perfect four of four on his career-high four made 3-point field goals in the Seminoles' victory over Miami on Tuesday night. Twice he hit 3-point shots within a minute of each other to extend a Seminole lead including his first as the Hurricanes had closed to within three points with just over seven minutes remaining to be played in the first half.

### Breaking Down Bol Bowen From Distance Against Miami

Time	Half	Score	Florida State's Advantage Before The Shot
7:03	First	FSU, 29-23	+3
6:19	First	FSU, 32-23	+6
14:38	Second	FSU, 49-37	+9
13:55	Second	FSU, 52-37	+12

### BOL BOWEN FROM THE 3-POINT ARC FOR THE SEASON

Sophomore Taylor Bol Bowen made his single-game career-high of four 3-point field goals in scoring 16 points in Florida State's 80-65 win over Miami on Wednesday in Coral Gables. He has now made more 3-point field goals this season than he did last season (11-7) in fewer attempts (30-33) and in fewer games (13-31).

### Breaking Down Bol Bowen From The 3-Point Line

Season	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	Notes
2023-24	7	33	.212	Season-high 1 3FGM in 7 different games
2024-25	11	30	.367	Career-high 4 3FGM in win over Miami, January 8, 2025
Totals	18	63	.286	

### JERRY DENG FROM THE 3-POINT LINE

Sophomore Jerry Deng enters Saturday's game with 21 made 3-point shots this season and 64 made in his two-year career at Hampton (2023-24) and Florida State (2024-25). He has made at least one 3-point field goal in 13 of his 15 games as a Seminole and in 34 of his 48 career games.



## 2024-25 Florida St. Men's Basketball Combined Team Statistics All games

### Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	11-4	6-2	1-2	4-0
CONFERENCE	2-2	1-1	1-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	9-2	5-1	0-1	4-0

### Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Florida St.	556	627	4	1187
Opponents	446	578	14	1038

### 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
1	WATKINS, Jamir	15-15	429:10	28.6	78-175	.446	24-71	.338	100-135	.741	12	56	68	4.5	45	0	35	43	10	20	280	18.7
12	EWIN, Malique	15-15	377:36	25.2	90-153	.588	0-0	.000	26-46	.565	48	64	112	7.5	44	2	28	28	9	11	206	13.7
5	DAVIS, Daquan	15-5	358:26	23.9	39-101	.386	14-44	.318	43-54	.796	7	31	38	2.5	32	0	40	21	7	18	135	9.0
10	BOWEN, Taylor Bol	14-14	325:35	23.3	44-79	.557	11-30	.367	23-30	.767	17	63	80	5.7	28	0	13	20	21	18	122	8.7
0	JACKSON, Chandler	14-14	344:16	24.6	39-85	.459	6-25	.240	20-27	.741	11	24	35	2.5	27	1	32	10	6	22	104	7.4
25	THOMAS, Justin	15-1	321:06	21.4	35-73	.479	16-37	.432	12-19	.632	6	22	28	1.9	29	0	27	16	5	18	98	6.5
7	DENG, Jerry	15-1	245:23	16.4	31-80	.388	21-58	.362	11-16	.688	4	33	37	2.5	19	0	13	15	5	11	94	6.3
3	HOLT, Bostyn	13-10	198:46	15.3	16-32	.500	5-13	.385	10-15	.667	4	13	17	1.3	22	0	20	11	2	5	47	3.6
21	MALUK, Alier	14-0	150:30	10.7	19-37	.514	0-2	.000	6-9	.667	13	13	26	1.9	17	0	3	10	10	7	44	3.1
19	SWINTON, AJ	15-0	147:00	9.8	13-31	.419	3-11	.273	6-12	.500	3	14	17	1.1	12	0	5	5	2	4	35	2.3
11	NITU, Christian	11-0	69:21	6.3	5-14	.357	0-2	.000	4-6	.667	1	7	8	0.7	11	0	4	3	2	0	14	1.3
35	MBATCH, Waka	5-0	16:33	3.3	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	3	4	0.8	6	0	0	3	1	0	4	0.8
4	SIMPSON, Jason	6-0	08:20	1.4	1-5	.200	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	0	1	0	0	3	0.5
9	ROZAKEAS, Anastasios	7-0	21:05	3.0	0-3	.000	0-3	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1	0.1	5	0	2	2	0	1	1	0.1
43	JONES, Jesse	5-0	07:23	1.5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
15	CRAWFORD, Jalen	5-0	04:29	0.9	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0
Team											25	29	54					1				
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>3025</b>		<b>412-871</b>	<b>.473</b>	<b>101-300</b>	<b>.337</b>	<b>262-371</b>	<b>.706</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>1187</b>	<b>79.1</b>
<b>Opponents</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>3025</b>		<b>341-853</b>	<b>.400</b>	<b>112-384</b>	<b>.292</b>	<b>244-345</b>	<b>.707</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>34.7</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>1038</b>	<b>69.2</b>

### Team Statistics

	FSU	OPP
<b>Scoring</b>	<b>1187</b>	<b>1038</b>
Points per game	79.1	69.2
Scoring margin	+9.9	-
<b>Field goals-att</b>	<b>412-871</b>	<b>341-853</b>
Field goal pct	.473	.400
<b>3 point fg-att</b>	<b>101-300</b>	<b>112-384</b>
3-point FG pct	.337	.292
3-pt FG made per game	6.7	7.5
<b>Free throws-att</b>	<b>262-371</b>	<b>244-345</b>
Free throw pct	.706	.707
F-Throws made per game	17.5	16.3
<b>Rebounds</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>521</b>
Rebounds per game	35.0	34.7
Rebounding margin	+0.3	-
<b>Assists</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>165</b>
Assists per game	14.8	11.0
<b>Turnovers</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>233</b>
Turnovers per game	12.7	15.5
Turnover margin	+2.9	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.2	0.7
<b>Steals</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>89</b>
Steals per game	9.1	5.9
<b>Blocks</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>42</b>
Blocks per game	5.3	2.8
<b>Winning streak</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>
Home win streak	1	-
<b>Attendance</b>	<b>37257</b>	<b>27497</b>
Home games-Avg/Game	8-4657	3-9166
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	4-4236

### Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/04/2024	Northern Ky.	W	74-62	4872
11/09/2024	vs Rice	W	73-65	6901
11/12/2024	Tarleton St.	W	72-52	3068
11/15/2024	Florida	L	74-87	9797
11/19/2024	Hofstra	W	79-61	3253
11/22/2024	vs Temple	W	78-69	2176
11/24/2024	vs Massachusetts	W	92-59	1
11/26/2024	Western Caro.	W	91-57	2589
12/03/2024	at LSU	L	75-85	8323
12/07/2024	at NC State	Lot	74-84	12577
12/14/2024	vs Tulane	W	77-64	7866
12/17/2024	Winthrop	W	82-64	4354
12/21/2024	Louisville	L	76-90	4383
01/04/2025	Syracuse	W	90-74	4941
01/08/2025	at Miami (FL)	W	80-65	6597



## 2024-25 Florida St. Men's Basketball Combined Team Statistics In Conference games

### Game Records

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

### Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Florida St.	142	174	4	320
Opponents	130	169	14	313

### Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		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
1	WATKINS, Jamir	4-4	123:25	30.9	20-45	.444	7-17	.412	28-34	.824	3	14	17	4.3	13	0	12	17	1	4	75	18.8
12	EWIN, Maliq	4-4	116:02	29.0	35-50	.700	0-0	.000	4-9	.444	10	19	29	7.3	12	1	9	5	4	2	74	18.5
5	DAVIS, Daquan	4-3	114:59	28.7	13-32	.406	6-15	.400	15-18	.833	2	7	9	2.3	11	0	14	2	1	4	47	11.8
10	BOWEN, Taylor Bol	4-4	95:52	24.0	16-25	.640	6-12	.500	5-6	.833	5	19	24	6.0	13	0	6	3	6	4	43	10.8
7	DENG, Jerry	4-0	58:57	14.7	7-23	.304	4-16	.250	3-4	.750	1	11	12	3.0	2	0	3	3	1	1	21	5.3
0	JACKSON, Chandler	4-4	104:39	26.2	7-17	.412	1-5	.200	3-5	.600	2	6	8	2.0	8	0	10	2	3	4	18	4.5
25	THOMAS, Justin	4-0	78:47	19.7	5-11	.455	4-5	.800	0-0	.000	1	5	6	1.5	8	0	5	4	2	4	14	3.5
21	MALUK, Alier	4-0	35:51	9.0	6-9	.667	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	1	4	5	1.3	1	0	0	1	2	0	13	3.3
3	HOLT, Bostyn	4-1	43:22	10.8	2-7	.286	0-4	.000	5-6	.833	0	5	5	1.3	3	0	2	2	1	0	9	2.3
19	SWINTON, AJ	4-0	36:45	9.2	3-6	.500	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	1	1	2	0.5	1	0	1	0	0	2	6	1.5
4	SIMPSON, Jason	2-0	02:19	1.2	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
43	JONES, Jesse	1-0	01:21	1.4	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
9	ROZAKEAS, Anastasios	2-0	05:04	2.5	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
11	NITU, Christian	2-0	06:17	3.1	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.5	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0.0
15	CRAWFORD, Jalen	1-0	01:21	1.4	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											4	8	12				1					
<b>Total</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>825</b>		<b>114-229</b>	<b>.498</b>	<b>28-78</b>	<b>.359</b>	<b>64-85</b>	<b>.753</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>32.5</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>80.0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>825</b>		<b>104-228</b>	<b>.456</b>	<b>38-98</b>	<b>.388</b>	<b>67-92</b>	<b>.728</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>32.5</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>78.3</b>

### Team Statistics

	FSU	OPP
<b>Scoring</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>313</b>
Points per game	80.0	78.3
Scoring margin	+1.8	-
<b>Field goals-att</b>	<b>114-229</b>	<b>104-228</b>
Field goal pct	.498	.456
<b>3 point fg-att</b>	<b>28-78</b>	<b>38-98</b>
3-point FG pct	.359	.388
3-pt FG made per game	7.0	9.5
<b>Free throws-att</b>	<b>64-85</b>	<b>67-92</b>
Free throw pct	.753	.728
F-Throws made per game	16.0	16.8
<b>Rebounds</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>130</b>
Rebounds per game	32.5	32.5
Rebounding margin	0.0	-
<b>Assists</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>52</b>
Assists per game	15.8	13.0
<b>Turnovers</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>44</b>
Turnovers per game	10.0	11.0
Turnover margin	+1.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.6	1.2
<b>Steals</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>20</b>
Steals per game	6.3	5.0
<b>Blocks</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>9</b>
Blocks per game	5.3	2.3
<b>Winning streak</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>
Home win streak	1	-
<b>Attendance</b>	<b>9324</b>	<b>19174</b>
Home games-Avg/Game	2-4662	2-9587
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

### Team Results

Date	Opponent	Lot	Score	Att.
12/07/2024	at NC State		74-84	12577
12/21/2024	Louisville	L	76-90	4383
01/04/2025	Syracuse	W	90-74	4941
01/08/2025	at Miami (FL)	W	80-65	6597

## **AJ Swinton: Energy, Personality And Basketball Ability Make Him A Great Seminole**

By Jessi Wynn

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CLEMSON, S.C. – AJ Swinton is a 6'6" freshman with a 7'2" wingspan who wears a size 18 basketball sneaker.

What really stands about the him isn't his size, rather it's the electric energy he brings to the court and his larger-than-life personality. Every time Swinton steps onto the court, he's full of life, radiating positivity, and firing up his teammates with his contagious enthusiasm.

Swinton has always been full of energy, a trait that has defined him since childhood and led him to basketball.

"I was a very energetic kid, so my parents put me in a whole bunch of different sports, basketball and football," said Swinton. "I fell in love with basketball because it wasn't too much contact, like football or hockey."

Swinton graduated from Bishop O'Connell High School in 2024, where he was a McDonald's All-American game nominee and helped his team achieve a top-15 national ranking during his senior season. Hailing from Cabin John, Md., Swinton developed into a highly sought-after recruit and became the first commitment of the 2024 Florida State recruiting class.

He's carried his high-energy style into his collegiate career, and will help lead the Seminoles (11-4, 2-2 AC) into their game at Clemson (12-4, 4-1 ACC) on Saturday at 2:00 p.m. at Littlejohn Coliseum. The game is set for national television on ESPN

"I think just over time, I realized I have to show my energy in different ways," said Swinton. It's being able to direct my enthusiasm in a positive way to uplift my teammates. I try to show it on the bench, if we hit a celebration, and just in general."

Whether on the bench or in the game, Swinton's positivity is undeniable. His radiant smile and contagious laugh are constant, and his presence energizes the entire team.

In addition to the enthusiasm he brings to the court, the Seminoles' coaching staff has also taken note of his defensive abilities which he has illustrated during the first 15 games of his career.

Against Syracuse on January 4, Swinton enjoyed a standout defensive performance in the Seminoles' victory over the Orange, earning a career-high with two steals.

His effort and energy caught the attention of Coach Hamilton, who praised him during the post-game press conference.

"A player that probably didn't have the greatest statistics but made a huge impact was AJ Swinton," said Hamilton. "His contests, his blocks, the energy that he played with when he went in was tremendous. Instead of switching to contain, he was switching to deny, and he got some deflections. We were able to keep up with their energy, put a little more pressure on them, and get some deflections and steals."

Hamilton and Swinton have built a strong bond during the newcomers first season in Tallahassee.

"One thing I appreciate the most about Coach Hamilton is that he gives freedom," said Swinton. "I don't think many college coaches, from what I've seen, give the same of freedom to his players that he gives. He's so in



tune and so in touch with players -- even if we have a bad practice, he'll still be able to joke around a little bit, but still be on that serious note. My relationship with him is great. I can go talk to him anytime."

Swinton notes that because of the person Hamilton is that even short talks turn into life-changing conversations.

"The minutes I spend with Coach Hamilton are always worth the time," said Swinton.

Swinton has also formed strong relationships with the veterans on the team, looking up to them for leadership and guidance.

"I looked up to Jamir when I first came here and when I first committed because he was a strong defender," said Swinton. "I've always looked up to him like an older brother. Chandler is another player I look up to. He's a third-year veteran and knows our system almost as well as the coaches."

Off the court, Swinton has found a great connection with his roommate, Taylor Bol Bowen.

"I can go to Taylor, my roommate, and talk and see him every day, always laughing, smiling," said Swinton. "He helps keep me happy, and after games, I go back to the apartments and chat with him on the couch. We just talk basketball"

Swinton's freshman year is off to a promising start. He's averaging 10 minutes played in each of the Seminoles' first 15 games.

His personality also resonates with Kevin Nickelberry, one of Florida State's assistant coaches.

"What makes AJ AJ is no matter what ups and downs he has experienced in his life and his basketball journey he has never lost his joy and appreciation for the game," said Nickelberry. "What first attracted me to AJ when I saw him at the 2023 Peach Jam on a big stage was that I thought he was one of the best 3 and D players in his class. You didn't have to run any plays for him, and he could still affect the game.

"He has the perfect demeanor to continue his basketball career for a long time. With more and more experience he continues to earn, we are going to see a huge jump in his statistics.

Swinton's energy, personality, and dedication make him not just a great teammate, but a rising star whose impact is felt far beyond the stat sheet.

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6-7, 210, Redshirt-Senior, Trenton, New Jersey (Second Year at Florida State; Three Years at VCU)

**On Watkins**

- \* Among the nation's top returning players who will be the Seminoles' team leader in his second season and final season at Florida State.
- \* An All-ACC Honorable Mention selection as a junior during the 2023-24 season
- \* Enters Saturday's game against Rice looking to build on a streak of 20 consecutive double-figure scoring games – a streak that began on January 9, 2024 against Wake Forest and continued throughout the remainder of the 2024 season and into the 2024-25 season.
- \* Entered his name for consideration in the NBA Draft on April 25, 2024 and into the NCAA transfer portal on May 2, 2024. Removed his name from the NBA Draft pool on May 30, 2024 and from the transfer portal on June 7, 2024. Reaffirmed his commitment to Florida State and Head Coach Leonard Hamilton on June 7, 2024

**2024-25**

- \* The ACC Co-Rookie of the Week for November 10 for his play in wins over Northern Kentucky and Rice
- \* Totaled a team-high tying 17 points in Florida State's win over Northern Kentucky -- his 20th consecutive game in double figure scoring
- \* 30 points (for the second time in his career) on 14 made free throws with 6 rebounds and 3 steals against Rice
- \* Scored 17 points with 6 rebounds and 2 steals in Florida State's 79-61 win over Hofstra in Tallahassee
- \* Totaled 19 points with 4 rebounds and 2 steals in Florida State's win over Temple at the Mohegan Sun Arena
- \* The game MVP with 14 points and 2 assists in Florida State's win over UMass at the Mohegan Sun Arena
- \* Scored 24 points on 16 of 17 made free throws in the Seminoles' ACC opener at NC State
- \* Scored 29 points on 19 of 23 made free throws in Florida State's win over Tulane in the Orange Bowl Classic
- \* Scored a game-high 23 points on a perfect 8 of 8 free throws made in Florida State's win over Winthrop
- \* Totaled a team-high 25 points and 3 rebounds in Florida State's game against Louisville in Tallahassee

**2023-24**

- \* Scored his career-high of 34 points Florida State's ACC Tournament game against Virginia Tech
- \* Fifth career double-double with 22 points and 11 rebounds in Florida State's victory over Boston College
- \* Sixth career double-double of 16 points and 11 rebounds in Florida State's victory over Miami in Tallahassee
- \* Seventh career-double-double with a career-high 34 points and a career-high tying 11 rebounds against Virginia Tech in the ACC Tournament

**2022-23 Season**

- \* Averaged 9.5 points (fourth on the team), 5.4 rebounds (second) and 1.2 steals (third) as one of five players to play in each of VCU's 35 games
- \* Helped VCU to a 27-8 overall record, a 15-3 record in Atlantic-10 play, to the Atlantic-10 Tournament championship and into the 2023 NCAA Tournament
- \* Totaled seven points and five rebounds in 21 minutes of playing time in a first round game played at the MVP Arena in Albany, N.Y

**2024-25 Game-By-Game Statistics -- Jamir Watkins**

Date	Opponent	G-GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	O-D	Rebs	PF	A	TO	B	S	Pts
N4	Northern Kentucky	1-1	27	8-17	.471	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	1-3	4	4	1	2	0	4	17
N9	vs. Rice	2-2	25	7-14	.500	2-4	.500	14-22	.636	1-5	6	1	1	3	1	3	30
N12	Tarleton State	3-3	18	1-5	.200	0-4	.000	6-10	.600	0-4	4	2	0	4	0	2	8
N15	Florida	4-4	29	7-15	.467	0-3	.000	5-11	.455	3-4	7	4	2	2	1	1	19
N19	Hofstra	5-5	27	5-13	.385	2-4	.250	5-5	1.000	0-6	6	3	1	2	0	2	17
N22	vs. Temple	6-6	29	4-10	.400	1-4	.250	10-13	.760	1-3	4	4	2	2	2	1	19
N24	vs. UMass.	7-7	18	5-6	.833	2-3	.667	2-4	.500	0-1	1	3	2	1	0	0	14
N26	Western Carolina	8-8	22	5-9	.556	4-6	.667	0-1	.000	0-3	3	1	4	1	1	0	14
D3	at LSU	9-9	31	6-19	.316	0-3	.000	3-4	.750	3-4	7	3	1	3	3	1	15
D7	* at NC State	10-10	39	4-13	.308	0-4	.000	16-17	.941	1-5	6	3	3	5	0	2	24
D14	vs. Tulane	11-11	38	4-8	.500	2-6	.333	19-23	.821	0-4	4	3	5	2	1	1	29
D17	Winthrop	12-12	33	6-14	.429	3-8	.375	8-8	1.000	0-5	5	2	4	4	0	1	23
D21	* Louisville	13-13	35	9-15	.600	4-6	.667	3-4	.750	1-2	3	3	3	5	1	1	25
J4	* Syracuse	14-14	31	3-10	.300	1-4	.250	9-13	.692	1-4	5	3	3	5	0	0	16
J8	* at Miami	15-15	18	4-7	.571	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-3	3	4	3	2	0	1	10
J11	* at Clemson																
J15	* Pittsburgh																
J18	* Georgia Tech																
J22	* at Cal																
J25	* at Stanford																
J29	* Virginia Tech																
F1	* at Boston College																
F4	* Notre Dame																
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F15	* Clemson																
F19	* Miami																
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Jamir Watkins' Career Highs	
PTS	34 vs. Virginia Tech (3-13-24)**
FGM	9 vs. Louisville (12-21-24)
	9 vs. Virginia Tech (3-13-24)**
FGA	19 at LSU (12-3-24)**
FG%	.800 vs Davidson (3-9-23)*
	.800 vs. Morgan State (11-12-2)*
3FGM	6 vs. Louisville (12-21-24)
	4 vs. Western Carolina (11-26-24)
3FGA	8 vs. Hofstra (11-19-24)**
	8 at Davidson (2-27-21)*
3FG%	1.000 vs. 3 Teams
	Last at Virginia Tech (2-13-24)**
FTM	19 vs. Tulane (12-14-24)**
FTA	23 vs. Tulane (12-14-24)**
FT%	1.000 vs. 16 Teams
	Last vs. Winthrop (12-17-24)
OR	5 vs. Dayton (3-12-23)*
DR	10 vs. 3 Teams
	Last vs. Colorado (11-21-23)**
REBS	11 vs. 6 Teams
	Last vs. Virginia Tech (3-13-24)**
AST	9 vs. Wake Forest (1-9-24)
BLK	3 vs. 5 Teams
	Last at LSU (12-3-24)
STL	4 vs. 8 teams
	Last vs. Northern Kentucky (11-4-24)
MIN	39 at NC State (12-7-24)**

underlined denotes career high established or tied during 2024-25 season \* denotes while at VCU \*\* denotes while at Florida State

**34**  
 Jamir Watkins scored 34 points against Virginia Tech in the 2024 ACC Tournament -- the school record points scored in an ACC Tournament game

















6-1, 230, Junior, Lawrenceville, Ga. (First Year at Florida State; Third Collegiate Season)

**On Ewin**

- \* The nation's top junior college recruit who will fit into Florida State's lineup perfectly on both the offensive and defensive ends of the court
- \* Earned NJCAA All-American First-Team honors and was the junior college player of the year in 2024
- \* A First-Team Junior College All-American at South Plains College in Texas as a sophomore in 2024
- \* Entered the transfer portal on March 31, 2024 and committed to USF on June 5, 2023
- \* Left USF and transferred to play one season at South Plains Community College (2023-24)
- \* Chose to play for Head Coach Leonard Hamilton and his staff on April 24, 2024 and earned his Associates Degree from South Plains on May 30, 2024

**2024-25 (at Florida State)**

- \* Totaled 11 points with 7 rebounds in Florida State's win over Rice at the Toyota Center
- \* A career-high 13 points with 6 rebounds, 3 steals, and 2 assists in Florida State's 79-61 win over Hofstra
- \* The game MVP with 15 points with a career-high 9 rebounds in Florida State's victory over Temple
- \* Totaled a career-high 17 points with 7 rebounds and 2 assists in Florida State's victory over UMass
- \* First career double-double with a career-high 17 points and a career-high 17 rebounds at LSU
- \* Career-high of 23 points and 9 rebounds in his first career ACC game at NC State
- \* Totaled a near double-double of 10 points and 8 rebounds in Florida State's victory over Tulane
- \* Second career double double of 21 points and 15 rebounds in Florida State's victory over Winthrop
- \* Totaled 14 points with 7 rebounds, 2 assists and 1 steal in Florida State's victory over Syracuse
- \* Third career double double with 20 points and 10 rebounds in Florida State's victory over Miami in Coral Gables

**2023-24 Season (at South Plains Community College)**

- \* The No. 1 ranked player and the No. 1 ranked center in the junior college ranks by 247Sports
- \* Earned NJCAA All-American First-Team honors, was named as the WJCAC Region 5 Player of the Year, and was chosen to play in the NJCAA All-Star game
- \* In 2024, Ewin led South Plains to the WJCAC conference championship and was named as the league's Player of the Year, Defensive Player of the Year, Newcomer of the Year, and to the All-Conference team 2022-23 Season

**2022-23 Season (at Ole Miss)**

- \* Averaged 1.4 points, 1.1 rebounds and 5.9 minutes played in 14 games as a freshman during his only season at Ole Miss
- \* Scored his season-high of 10 points, as he was a perfect four of four from the field five rebounds and five blocks against UCF (Dec. 14)

**Personal**

- \* Is the third youngest of eight siblings – two sisters (Bri and Britney) and four brothers (Denver, Tracy, Matthew and Jahari)
- \* Originally chose to play at Ole Miss after receiving offers from Alabama, Georgia, Georgia Tech, Florida, Illinois,

**2024-25 Game-By-Game Statistics – Malique Ewin**

Date	Opponent	G-GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	O-D	Rebs	PF	A	TO	B	S	Pts
N4	Northern Kentucky	1-1	19	0-6	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	2-1	3	2	0	1	0	0	0
N9	vs. Rice	2-2	27	4-11	.364	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	5-2	7	3	2	2	1	1	11
N12	Tarleton State	3-3	12	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0-3	3	3	1	0	0	1	6
N15	Florida	4-4	31	4-13	.308	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	4-0	4	2	1	4	0	2	10
N19	Hofstra	5-5	20	6-8	.750	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2-4	6	3	2	1	1	3	13
N22	vs. Temple	6-6	23	7-10	.700	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	4-5	9	4	1	4	0	0	15
N24	vs. UMass	7-7	24	7-10	.700	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	2-5	6	2	2	1	1	0	17
N26	Western Carolina	8-8	18	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	4-4	1.000	1-3	4	2	2	5	0	0	12
D3	at LSU	9-9	31	7-14	.500	0-0	.000	3-8	.375	11-6	17	3	2	1	1	9	17
D7	* at NC State	10-10	34	11-14	.786	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	6-3	9	5	1	2	2	0	23
D14	vs. Tulane	11-11	27	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	2-3	.667	0-8	8	5	2	2	1	1	10
D17	Winthrop	12-12	31	10-15	.667	0-0	.000	1-3	.333	7-8	15	3	4	2	1	0	21
D21	* Louisville	13-13	31	7-11	.636	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	1-2	3	1	3	1	0	1	17
J4	* Syracuse	14-14	28	7-11	.636	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1-6	7	3	2	1	0	1	14
J8	* at Miami	15-15	23	10-14	.714	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	2-8	10	3	3	1	1	1	20
J11	* at Clemson																
J15	* Pittsburgh																
J18	* Georgia Tech																
J22	* at Cal																
J25	* at Stanford																
J29	* Virginia Tech																
F1	* at Boston College																
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**Malique Ewin's Career Highs**

PTS ..... 23 at NC State (12-7-24)

FGM ..... 11 at NC State (12-7-24)

FGA ..... 17 at LSU (12-3-24)

FG% ..... 1.000 vs. UCF (12-14-22)

3FGM .....

3FGA .....

3FG% .....

FTM ..... 3 vs. Louisville (12-21-24)

FT% ..... 3 at LSU (12-3-24)

..... 3 vs. UMass (11-24-24)

..... 3 vs. Rice (11-9-24)

FIA ..... 8 at LSU (12-3-24)

FT% ..... 1.000 vs. Western Carolina (11-26-24)

..... 1.000 vs. Florida (11-15-24)

..... 1.000 vs. Tarleton State (11-12-24)

OR ..... 11 at LSU (12-3-24)

DR ..... 8 at Miami (1-8-25)

..... 8 vs. Winthrop (12-17-24)

..... 8 vs. Tulane (12-14-24)

REBS ..... 17 at LSU (12-3-24)

AST ..... 4 vs. Winthrop (12-17-24)

BLK ..... 5 vs. UCF (12-14-22)

STL ..... 3 vs. Hofstra (11-19-24)

MIN ..... 34 at NC State (12-7-24)

underlined denotes career high established or tied during the 2024-25 season

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Malique Ewin comes to Florida State as the nation's top junior college recruit at South Plains College during the 2023-24 season







6-17, 184, Senior, Baton Rouge, La. (First Year at Florida State; Sixth Collegiate Season)

**On Thomas**

- \* Has two seasons of eligibility remaining as he begins his career at Florida State during the 2024-25 season
- \* Totals two years of eligibility because he began his collegiate eligibility after Covid and took a redshirt season in his only season at Texas San Antonio
- \* Comes to Florida State after a non-playing season at the University of Texas at San Antonio (2023-24)
- \* Earned his bachelor's degree from UTSA in multidisciplinary studies in August of 2024

**2024-25 Season**

- \* His Florida State debut came with 5 points, 3 rebounds and 3 assists in Florida State's win over N. Kentucky
- \* Scored 8 points with 3 assists and 2 steals in Florida State's 72-52 win over Tarleton State in Tallahassee
- \* Scored 11 points on 3 of 3 made 3-point shots in the Seminoles' game against Florida on Tallahassee
- \* Scored 3 points, with 4 steals and 3 assists in Florida State's win over Hofstra in Tallahassee
- \* Totaled 10 points, with 3 assists, and 2 rebounds in Florida State's 92-59 win over UMass at the Mohegan Sun
- \* Scored 10 points with 2 rebounds, and 1 assist as a starter in Florida State's victory over Tulane
- \* Totaled 6 points, 4 assists, and 3 steals in Florida State's 80-65 win over Miami in Coral Gables

**2023-24 Season (at Texas San Antonio)**

- \* A member of the team the University of Texas at San Antonio but did not play in any games.

**2022-23 Season (at Wisconsin Milwaukee)**

- \* Averaged a career-high 7.3 points (sixth on the team) a career-high 4.4 rebounds (tied for fourth), and a career-high 3.0 assists (first) in 33 games played
- \* Shot .432 percent (82-of-190) from the field overall, .429 percent (24-of-56) from the 3-point line, and .684 percent (52-of-76) from the free throw line
- \* A starter in 14 games
- \* During his one season at Wisconsin-Milwaukee, he helped the Panthers to their best record in seven years (21-12) and to a quarterfinal appearance in the College Basketball Invitational (CBI)

**2021-22 Season (at Navarro College)**

- \* Averaged 12.6 points and 5.1 rebounds per game while shooting 44 percent from the field, and .728 from the free throw line during the 2021-22 season
- \* Earned a spot in the starting lineup by season's end. Scored in double-figures in 20 games, highlighted by performances of 28 points against Tyler as well as a 26 point outing in a win over Bossier Parish in February.

**2020-21 Season (at Queens College)**

- \* Averaged 8.7 points and 1.5 rebounds in six games played at Division II Queens College during the 2020-21 season
- \* Scored in double figures three times with 16 points coming in his college debut against George Mason (Nov. 26), 14 points at Coker (Jan. 4) and 11 points against Howard (Nov. 27)
- \* Scored his season-high of 16 points in his first career game against George Mason

**2024-25 Game-By-Game Statistics -- Justin Thomas**

Date	Opponent	G-GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	O-D	Rebs	PF	A	TO	B	S	Pts
N4	Northern Kentucky	1-0	20	2-5	.400	0-3	.000	1-2	.500	0-3	3	2	3	0	0	1	5
N9	vs. Rice	2-0	22	3-7	.429	2-5	.400	0-1	.000	1-2	3	1	2	2	1	1	8
N12	Tarleton State	3-0	22	2-4	.500	0-1	.000	4-6	.667	0-1	1	0	3	1	0	2	8
N15	Florida	4-0	19	4-6	.667	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	3	0	0	0	0	11
N19	Hofstra	5-0	22	1-3	.333	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1-2	3	0	3	1	0	4	3
N22	vs. Temple	6-0	21	2-3	.667	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-1	1	3	1	1	0	2	5
N24	vs. UMass.	7-0	15	3-3	1.000	2-2	1.000	2-4	.500	0-0	0	2	1	1	0	0	10
N26	Western Carolina	8-0	19	3-6	.500	1-3	.333	1-1	1.000	1-2	3	1	3	1	0	1	8
D3	at LSU	9-0	27	3-9	.333	0-3	.000	3-4	.750	1-2	3	3	1	1	1	1	9
D7	* at NC State	10-0	29	2-4	.500	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1-2	3	2	0	2	1	0	5
D14	vs. Tulane	11-1	35	4-11	.364	1-5	.200	1-1	1.000	1-1	2	3	1	1	1	1	10
D17	Winthrop	12-1	21	3-5	.600	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-2	2	3	3	3	0	1	7
D21	* Louisville	13-1	10	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
J4	* Syracuse	14-1	13	1-1	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	2	1	0	0	1	3
J8	* at Miami	15-1	26	2-6	.333	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-2	2	1	4	2	1	3	6
J11	* at Clemson																
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J18	* Georgia Tech																
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F1	* at Boston College																
F4	* Notre Dame																
F12	* at Wake Forest																
F15	* Clemson																
F19	* Miami																
F22	* at Louisville																
F24	* North Carolina																
M1	* at Duke																
M4	* at Virginia																
M8	* SMU																

**Justin Thomas' Career Highs**

PTS .....19 vs. Southeast Missouri State (11-28-22)

FGM .....5 vs. 4 teams

.....Last vs. Indiana Purdue FW (2-23-23)

FGA .....11 vs. Tulane (12-14-24)

FG% .....1.000 vs. UMass (11-24-24)

.....1.000 at Detroit Mercy (12-31-22)

3FGM .....3 vs. Florida (11-15-24)

.....3 vs. St. Thomas University (11-23-22)

3FGA .....5 vs. Tulane (12-14-24)

.....5 vs. Rice (11-9-24)

.....5 at Cleveland State (1-5-23)

3FG% .....1.000 vs. 5 teams

.....Last vs. UMass (11-24-24)

FTM .....9 vs. Southeast Missouri State (11-28-22)

FTA .....11 vs. Southeast Missouri State (11-28-22)

FT% .....1.000 vs. 5 teams

.....Last at Robert Morris (2-18-23)

OR .....3 vs. Southeast Missouri State (11-28-22)

.....3 vs. Wright State (1-14-23)

DR .....10 vs. Southeast Missouri State (11-28-22)

REBS .....13 vs. Southeast Missouri State (11-28-22)

AST .....8 vs. Wright State (1-14-23)

BLK .....3 at Wright State (1-26-23)

STL .....4 vs. UC Davis (11-26-22)

MIN .....42 vs. Oakland (2-11-23)

underlined denotes career high established or tied during the 2024-25 season

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Justin Thomas has scored in double figures 32 times as a collegiate player including his Division I career-high of 19 points vs. Southeast Missouri State on November 28, 2022







Game 0 -- Florida State 87, St. Leo 64

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. -- The first look at the 2024-25 Seminole Basketball team proved successful as newcomer Malique Ewin scored 19 points and star guard Jamir Watkins added 18 points to lead Florida State to an 87-64 victory over Saint Leo at the Donald L. Tucker Center.

Florida State 87, St. Leo 64 Donald L. Tucker Center

October 24, 2024

Table with columns: St. Leo, Min, FG, 3FG, FT, O-D, Reb, F, A, T, B, S, Pts. Rows include Pawilkowski, Corso, Ryan, Wilson, Jones, Hot, McElroy, Murray, Cerese, Sherwood, Davis, Paz, Johnson, Hollerich, Murphy, and Team Totals.

Table with columns: Fl. State, Min, FG, 3FG, FT, O-D, Reb, F, A, T, B, S, Pts. Rows include Watkins, Bol Bowen, Ewin, Jackson, Holt, Davis, Deng, Swinton, Maluk, Thomas, Nitu, Rozakeas, Mbatch, Simpson, Jones, Crawford, and Team Totals.

FG% - St. Leo, .323, Florida State, .531. 3FG% - St. Leo, .333, Florida State, .316. FT% - St. Leo, .667, Florida State, .765. Technical Fouls: St. Leo -- None. Florida State -- None. Referees - Lee Cassell, Jeff Pon, Ben Sirt

Table with 2 columns: St. Leo, Florida State. Rows: 31, 33, 64 and 43, 44, 87.

Game 00 -- Florida State 100, West Florida 56

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. -- Senior Jamir Watkins and sophomore Taylor Bol Bowen scored 14 points each as Florida State showcased its strength in a commanding 100-56 victory over the University of West Florida in its final exhibition game at the Donald L. Tucker Center.

FG% - St. Leo, .323, Florida State, .531. 3FG% - St. Leo, .333, Florida State, .316. FT% - St. Leo, .667, Florida State, .765. Technical Fouls: St. Leo -- None. Florida State -- None. Referees - Lee Cassell, Jeff Pon, Ben Sirt

Table with 2 columns: St. Leo, Florida State. Rows: 31, 33, 64 and 43, 44, 87.

Florida State 100, West Florida 56 Donald L. Tucker Center

October 31, 2024

Table with columns: UWF, Min, FG, 3FG, FT, O-D, Reb, F, A, T, B, S, Pts. Rows include Wyche, McElroy, White, Briggs, Jr., Payne, Garrett, Bryant, Jr., Davis, Brown, Glenn, Locke IV, White II, Mittelstadt, Clarke, and Team Totals.

Table with columns: Fl. State, Min, FG, 3FG, FT, O-D, Reb, F, A, T, B, S, Pts. Rows include Watkins, Bol Bowen, Swinton, Mbatch, Holt, Davis, Rozakeas, Nitu, Simpson, Ewin, Thomas, Deng, Jones, Crawford, and Team Totals.

FG% - West Florida, .357, Florida State, .571. 3FG% - West Florida, .278, Florida State, .458. FT% - West Florida, .786, Florida State, .563. Technical Fouls: West Florida -- None. Florida State -- None. Referees - Ron Groover, Kellen Milnber, Connor Penn

Table with 2 columns: West Florida, Florida State. Rows: 23, 33, 56 and 44, 56, 100.

Game 1 -- Florida State 74, Northern Kentucky 62

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. -- Senior Jamir Watkins and sophomore Taylor Bol Bowen scored 17 points each to lead 10 Seminole in the scoring column as Florida State posted a 74-62 season-opening win over Northern Kentucky at the Donald L. Tucker Center.

Florida State 74, Northern Kentucky 62 Donald L. Tucker Center

November 4, 2024

Table with columns: NKU, Min, FG, 3FG, FT, O-D, Reb, F, A, T, B, S, Pts. Rows include Itejere, Gherezgher, Robinson, Vinson, Dilling, Puttus II, Wells, Pivorious, Tchilombo, Darbyshire, and Team Totals.

Table with columns: Fl. State, Min, FG, 3FG, FT, O-D, Reb, F, A, T, B, S, Pts. Rows include Watkins, Bol Bowen, Ewin, Jackson, Holt, Davis, Maluk, Thomas, Deng, Swinton, Nitu, and Team Totals.

FG% - Northern Kentucky, .388, Florida State, .444. 3FG% - Northern Kentucky, .250, Florida State, .182. FT% - Northern Kentucky, .739, Florida State, .778. Technical Fouls: Northern Kentucky -- None. Florida State -- None. Referees - Lee Cassell, Jeff Pon, Ben Sirt

Table with 2 columns: N. Kentucky, Florida State. Rows: 31, 31, 62 and 43, 31, 74.

Game 2 -- Florida State 73, Rice 65

HOUSTON, Tex. -- Florida State's Jamir Watkins scored 30 points -- including 17 in the second half -- to lead the Seminole to a 73-65 win over Rice in the first game of the Mattress Firm Battleground 2K24 Tournament at the Toyota Center.

Florida State 73, Rice 65 Toyota Center

November 9, 2024

Table with columns: FSU, Min, FG, 3FG, FT, O-D, Reb, F, A, T, B, S, Pts. Rows include Watkins, Bol Bowen, Ewin, Jackson, Holt, Davis, Deng, Maluk, Thomas, Swinton, Nitu, Rozakeas, and Team Totals.

Table with columns: Rice, Min, FG, 3FG, FT, O-D, Reb, F, A, T, B, S, Pts. Rows include Powell, Amos, Lanier, Broadnax, Huseinovic, Patterson, Anglin, Akuchie, Dar, Powell, Oladokun Jr., and Team Totals.

FG% - Florida State, .426, Rice, .358. 3FG% - Florida State, .263, Rice, .320. FT% - Florida State, .647, Rice, .613. Technical Fouls: Thomas, Florida State (2nd, 7:37), Rice Amos (2nd, 7:37). Referees - Pat Adams, Bart Lennox, KD Burdett

Table with 2 columns: Florida State, Rice. Rows: 33, 40, 73 and 23, 42, 65.

Game 3 -- Florida State 72, Tarleton State 52

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. -- Freshman Daquan Davis scored nine points, and 12 of the 16 Seminole who earned playing time found their way into the scoring column to lead Florida State to a 72-52 win over Tarleton State at the Donald L. Tucker Center.

Florida State 72, Tarleton State 52 Donald L. Tucker Center

November 12, 2024

Table with columns: Tarleton, Min, FG, 3FG, FT, O-D, Reb, F, A, T, B, S, Pts. Rows include Mpaka, Miles, Mizell, Benjamin, Krass, N, Krass, M, Martinez, Marom, Course, and Team Totals.





