

2021-22 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
NOVEMBER		
Thur. 4	Union University (Tenn.) (Exh.)	W, 106-32
Fri. 12	Arizona (ESPN)	4:30 p.m.
Tues. 16	Bellarmine (ACCNX)	7 p.m.
Wed. 17	UT Martin (ACCNX)	7 p.m.
Sat. 20	at Washington	5 p.m.
Tues. 23	at Cal Poly	8 p.m.
Sun. 28	at Colorado State	2 p.m.
DECEMBER		
Thur. 2	Michigan (ESPN)	7 p.m.
Sun. 6	Belmont (ACCN)	12 p.m.
Sun. 12	Kentucky (ESPN)	1 p.m.
Thur. 16	Eastern Kentucky (ACCN)	8 p.m.
Sun. 19	Connecticut (ESPN)	3:30 p.m.
Thur. 30	Boston College (ACCNX)*	7 p.m.
JANUARY		
Sun. 2	at Georgia Tech (ACCN)*	12 p.m.
Thur. 6	Pittsburgh (ACCNX)*	7 p.m.
Sun. 9	at Miami (ACCN)*	12 p.m.
Thur. 13	Syracuse (ACCNX)*	7 p.m.
Sun. 16	at Boston College (ACCN)*	12 p.m.
Thur. 20	at N.C. State (ESPN)*	7:30 p.m.
Sun. 23	Wake Forest (ACCN)*	2 p.m.
Thur. 27	Florida State (ACCN)*	8 p.m.
Sun. 30	Duke (ESPN/ACCN)*	12/4 p.m.
FEBRUARY		
Thur. 3	at Clemson (RSN)*	6 p.m.
Sun. 6	at Syracuse (RSN)*	12 p.m.
Thur. 10	Virginia (ACCNX)*	7 p.m.
Sun. 13	Notre Dame (ESPN)*	2 p.m.
Thur. 17	at North Carolina (RSN)*	6 p.m.
Sun. 20	Virginia Tech (ACCN)*	2 p.m.
Thur. 24	at Pittsburgh (ACCNX)*	6 p.m.
Sun. 27	at Notre Dame (ESPN/ACCN)*	TBA
MARCH		
Wed-Sun. 2-6	@ACC Tournament	TBA

Home games are in bold | All Times Eastern

* = ACC

QUICK FACTS

Location	Louisville, Ky.
Founded / Enrollment	1798 / 22,298
Nickname / Colors	Cardinals / Red and Black
Conference	Atlantic Coast
Home Court (Capacity)	KFC Yum! Center (22,000)
President	Dr. Neeli Bendapudi
Vice President for Athletics	Vince Tyra
Senior Woman Administrator	Amy Calabrese
Head Coach	Jeff Walz (Northern Kentucky, '95)
Associate Head Coach	Stephanie Norman
Associate Coach	Sam Purcell
Assistant Coach	Jonneshia Pineda
Director of Operations	Kate Tucker
Assoc. Strength & Conditioning Coach	Beth Burns
Exec. Director/Player Relations	Adrienne Johnson
Video Coordinator/Graphic Design	LaMont Russell
All-Time Record	932-499 (47th yr.)
All-Time NCAA Tournament Record	37-23 (22 Appearances)
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LOUISVILLE

2021-22 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



No. 6/6 Louisville Cardinals vs. No. 22/15 Arizona Wildcats

Game 1 • Fri., Nov. 12 • 4:30 p.m. ET • ESPN • 1080-AM • Sioux Falls, S.D. • Sanford Pentagon

LOUISVILLE

Record: 26-4, 14-2 (2020-21)
 Last Game: W, 106-32 vs. Union (Exh.)
 Current Streak:
 Scoring Margin:
 Head Coach: Jeff Walz
 Record at UL: 385-108 (15th year)
 Career Record: Same
 Leading Scorer: K. Smith (11.4)
 Leading Rebounder: Cochran (6.9)
 Assists Leader: Robinson (2.2)
 Blocks Leader: Dixon (1.1)
 Steals Leader: Robinson (1.2)
 Next Game: Tues., Nov. 16 vs. Bellarmine

ARIZONA

Record: 1-0, 0-0
 Last Game: W, 87-44 vs. CSUN
 Current Streak: W1
 Scoring Margin: +43.0
 Head Coach: Adia Barnes
 Record at Zona: 90-66 (6th year)
 Career Record: Same
 Leading Scorer: Reese, Vonleh (14.0)
 Leading Rebounder: Vonleh (6.0)
 Assists Leader: Pellington (5.0)
 Blocks Leader: Ware (2.0)
 Steals Leader: Pueyo (3.0)
 Next Game: Mon., Nov. 15 vs. Texas Southern

STARTING FIVE

■ Louisville was picked sixth in the Associated Press and USA Today Coaches preseason polls, and second in the Atlantic Coast Conference preseason poll. In the AP poll, the Cardinals were listed on all 29 ballots and received 575 points. It marked the seventh consecutive season that Louisville has been ranked in the top 10 of the AP preseason poll, the 10th time in the past 11 years and the 11th time in Walz's 15-year tenure. Prior to his arrival, the Cardinals had never been ranked in the AP preseason Top 10.

■ Last season, Louisville won its fourth consecutive ACC regular season title and finished with a 26-4 record. They entered the NCAA Tournament as a No. 2 seed and advanced to the Elite Eight for the sixth time in program history.

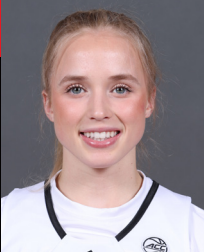




■ Louisville is 122-15 (.891) over the last four seasons, which marks the fewest losses and best winning percentage over a four-year span in program history.

■ Head coach Jeff Walz (385-108) is the winningest coach in program history; directing the Cards to 12 NCAA Tournament appearances, including 10 Sweet 16's, six Elite Eight's, three trips to the Final Four (2009, 2013, 2018) and two appearances in the national title game (2009, 2013). Prior to his arrival, the Cardinals had never reached a Sweet 16.

■ They now must look to replace Dana Evans, the two-time consensus All-American and ACC Player of the Year, who was selected by the Dallas Wings with the 13th pick of the 2021 WNBA Draft. Evans was later traded to the Chicago Sky, was named to the WNBA All-Rookie Team and won a WNBA title.

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PROJECTED STARTERS (Based off last game)

10		23		5		14		44											
Hailey VAN LITH		Chelsie HALL		Mykasa ROBINSON		Kianna SMITH		Olivia COCHRAN											
PPG	RPG	APG	MPG	PPG	RPG	APG	MPG	PPG	RPG	APG	MPG								
11.2	5.2	2.1	30.2	15.4	4.8	3.8	33.4	2.6	4.4	2.2	20.9	11.4	3.9	2.2	27.8	9.9	6.9	0.7	20.9

*2020-21 Stats at Vanderbilt

2021-22 Louisville Cardinals (26-4 Overall, 14-2 Atlantic Coast Conference in 2020-21)**Projected Starters (Based off last game)**

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown	PPG	RPG	APG	Notes
10	Hailey Van Lith	G	5-7	So.	Wenatchee, Wash.	11.2	5.2	2.1	Named 2021-22 Preseason All-ACC
23	Chelsie Hall	G	5-7	Gr.	Boca Raton, Fla.	15.4**	4.8**	3.8**	Reached 1,000 points at Vanderbilt**
5	Mykasa Robinson	G	5-7	Sr.	Ashland, Ky.	2.6	4.4	2.2	Named to 2020-21 ACC All-Defensive Team
14	Kianna Smith	G	6-0	R-Sr.	Moreno Valley, Calif.	11.4	3.9	2.2	Named to 2021-22 Drysdale Award Watch List
44	Olivia Cochran	F	6-3	So.	Columbus, Ga.	9.9	6.9	0.7	Named to ACC All-Freshman Team

Reserves

0	Ramani Parker	F	6-4	R-So.	Fresno, Calif.	2.7	2.2	0.1	Career-high 10 points vs. Bellarmine
2	Ahlana Smith	G	5-9	Sr.	Charlotte, N.C.	2.8	0.9	0.6	Six points on 3-3 FG in Elite 8 vs. Stanford
3	Alexia Mobley	F	6-2	Fr.	Reynoldsburg, Ohio	-	-	-	Ranked as the No. 31 overall player in the '22 class
11	Norika Konno	G	5-10	Jr.	Sendai, Japan	3.4	1.4	0.9	Career-high six steals in NCAA First Round vs. Marist
12	Payton Verhulst	G	6-1	Fr.	De Soto, Kan.	-	-	-	Won gold medal with 2021 FIBA U19 World Cup team
13	Merissah Russell	G	5-11	So.	Ottawa, Canada	2.2	2.2	0.4	Eight points and five rebounds in her debut vs. SEMO
21	Emily Engstler	F	6-1	Sr.	New York, N.Y.	10.5*	9.1*	1.9*	Named ACC Co-Sixth Player of the Year*
22	Liz Dixon	F	6-5	Sr.	Memphis, Tenn.	7.6	5.4	0.4	Season-high 21 points with nine rebounds vs. Miami
45	Sydni Schetnan	F	6-5	Fr.	Sioux Falls, S.D.	-	-	-	Ranked 10th best post player by espnW Hoop Gurlz

Pronunciation Guide:

Ramani (Rah-mah-nee), Ahlana (a-LAWN-uh), Mobley (MOW-blee), Mykasa (Mah-casa), Van Lith (LITH), Norika Konno (NO-rika Koh-NO), Verhulst (VUR-holst), Kianna (KEY-awna), Engstler (ENG-stlur), Schetnan (SHET-nan), Walz (Walls), Jonneshia Pineda (JO-nee-SHA PIN-ay-duh)

ABOUT THE WILDCATS

Arizona entered the 2021-22 season ranked 22nd in the AP Poll and 15th in WBCA Coaches Poll. They have received several preseason accolades as Cate Reese and Sam Thomas were named to the Preseason All-Pac-12 team, Thomas was named to the Cheryl Miller Award Watchlist and transfer Taylor Chavez was named to the Ann Meyers Drysdale Award Watchlist. Last season, the Wildcats finished with a 21-6 record after falling in a 54-53 heartbreaker to Stanford in the national title game. It marked the first time in program history that Arizona advanced past the Sweet 16. They also became the first Division I team to make the Final Four after missing the previous 10-plus NCAA Tournaments.

■ **Series History** - Louisville is 0-2 all-time against Arizona, but this marks the first matchup since 2000. The Cardinals and Wildcats played in back-to-back seasons in 1999 and 2000 as UofL fell 80-70 on Dec. 29, 1999 in Louisville and then lost 90-60 on Dec. 17, 2000 at Arizona.

■ **Last Meeting (Dec. 17, 2000)** - Louisville fell 90-60 to Arizona in the McKale Center as freshman Sara Nord led the Cardinals with 19 points. The Wildcats were led by Veranda James with 16 points. The Wildcats came out and took control of the second half after surviving a first half comeback from the Cards. Arizona built a 26 point lead with 12 minutes remaining and never looked back. The closest the Cards got was 12 points in the first five minutes of the second half.

WINNING THE OPENER

With the 74-53 win at Southeast Missouri last season, UofL has won five straight openers and improved to 12-2 in season openers under Walz. Under Walz, they are 8-0 when opening the season on the road and 4-2 when opening at home. All-time, UofL is 27-19 in first games of the year.

UofL IN SEASON OPENERS UNDER WALZ

Avg.	Category	High	Opponent (Date)
77.9	Points	102	Western Kentucky (11/6/18)
29.3	Field Goals Made	38	Western Kentucky (11/6/18)
6.0	3-Pointers Made	16	Western Kentucky (11/6/18)
13.3	Free Throws Made	27	Tennessee Tech (11/15/08)
41.2	Rebounds	68	Loyola Chicago (11/9/13)
16.9	Assists	24	Ball State (11/10/07)
11.3	Steals	17	Missouri State (11/13/11)
4.3	Blocks	10	Southeast Missouri (11/25/20)

OPENING WITH NEUTRAL SITE GAME

For the first time in Walz's 15-year tenure, the Cardinals will open the season with neutral site game. It marks UofL's first neutral start opener since since they lost 78-67 to UC Santa Barbara in the Time Warner Cable Classic in Lincoln, Neb., on Nov. 17, 2000.

OPENING AGAINST TOP 25 TEAM

Louisville faces an AP Top 25 team to open the season for the first time since they hosted No. 15 Texas A&M on Nov. 9, 2012. They won that game 47-45 and finished the year with a 29-9 record while advancing to their second national title game in program history.

All-Time vs. Top 25 in Season Openers (1-4)

Date	Score	Opponent
11/9/12	W, 47-45	No. 15 Texas A&M
11/12/10	L, 63-50	No. 4 Tennessee
11/17/00	L, 78-67	vs. No. 25 UCSB
11/14/97	L, 89-73	at No. 17 WKU
11/24/96	L, 63-60	vs. No. 6 Vanderbilt

GAMEDAY INFO

Date: Friday, Nov. 12

Time: 4:30 p.m. ET

Site: Sioux Falls, S.D. | Sanford Pentagon (3,250)

TV: ESPNU (Pam Ward, play-by-play; Christy Thomaskutty, analyst)

Radio: 1080-AM WKJK (Nick Curran, play-by-play; Adrienne Johnson, analyst)

Last Meeting: L, 90-60 (Dec. 17, 2000 at Tucson, Ariz.)

Series History: 0-2 (0-1 home, 0-1 away)

UofL National Ranking: 6th Associated Press, 6th USA Today

INDIVIDUAL SCORING/SEASON OPENER

Pts.	Player	Date	Opponent
33.....	Asia Durr	11-6-18.....	WKU
30.....	Nell Knox	12-1-92.....	Austin Peay
29.....	Angel McCoughtry.....	11-15-08.....	Tennessee Tech
24.....	Asia Durr	11-11-16	UT Martin
24.....	Kristin Mattox.....	11-26-93.....	Miami (Ohio)
23.....	Janelle Antoine	11-20-99.....	UNC Asheville
23.....	Kristin Mattox.....	11-26-94.....	Murray State
23.....	Jackie Spencer	11-25-84.....	W. Michigan
22.....	Mariya Moore	11-14-14.....	IUPUI
21.....	Sara Nord	11-21-03.....	Xavier
21.....	Sara Nord	11-20-01.....	Evansville
21.....	Sharon Bellamy	11-16-98.....	East Tenn. St.
20.....	Sara Hammond	11-9-12.....	Texas A&M
20.....	Candyece Bingham.....	11-10-07.....	Ball State
20.....	Marilyn Reckelhoff.....	11-26-87.....	Kentucky
20.....	Dana Nichols	11-26-87.....	Kentucky
19.....	Dana Evans.....	11-5-19.....	WKU
19.....	Arica Carter	11-6-18.....	WKU

RETURNING POINT PRODUCTION

After losing Dana Evans to graduation, UofL returns 50.4 points per game, which accounts for 65.5 percent of their production from last year.

RETURNING STARTERS

The Cards return six players that have made a combined 113 starts in a Louisville uniform (Van Lith - 30, Cochran - 25, Robinson - 22, K. Smith - 20, Dixon - 11, A. Smith - 5)

Returning Production from 2020-21

	Per Game	Pct. %
Points	50.4	65.5
3-Pointers	4.2	56.3
Rebounds	30.2	76.6
Assists	9.2	62.5
Steals	5.3	70.1
Blocks	3.2	67.4
Career Starts at UofL: 113		

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

Louisville returns nine players from last year's team, brings in five newcomers and had three departures, including two-time ACC Player of the Year and WBCA All-American Dana Evans.

■ **Returnees** - In addition to the six players that have career starts, the Cardinals return Norika Konno, Ramani Parker and Merissah Russell. Robinson is the only four-year player for the Cardinals and last season was named to the ACC All-Defensive Team. Kianna Smith is the leading returning scorer after averaging 11.4 points per game a season ago. Van Lith returns after starting all 30 games last season and averaging 11.2 points per game as a freshman. Cochran finished with 9.9 points per game and a team-high 6.9 rebounds per contest during her freshman campaign. Dixon averaged 7.6 points and 5.4 rebounds, while shooting a team-high 56.4 percent from the floor.

■ **Newcomers** - Louisville brings in Syracuse transfer Emily Engstler and Vanderbilt grad transfer Chelsie Hall, along with three freshmen Alexia Mobley, Sydney Schetnan and Payton Verhulst. Engstler was the ACC Co-Sixth Player of the Year last season, while Hall was a 1,000 point scorer at Vanderbilt and earned 2018 SEC All-Freshman team honors.

LOUISVILLE PICKED SECOND IN ACC PRESEASON POLLS

UofL was picked second in the league after claiming four consecutive regular season titles. The Cardinals received seven first-place votes from the Blue Ribbon Panel for a total of 789 points and one first-place vote from the head coaches to finish with 207 points. Louisville is picked second in the ACC behind first-place NC State. The Cardinals and Wolfpack were the only two schools to receive first-place votes in the Blue Ribbon and Coaches' polls.

2021-22 ACC Preseason Blue Ribbon Poll

1. NC State	9. Miami
2. Louisville	10. Clemson
3. Georgia Tech	11. Boston College
4. Virginia Tech	12. Wake Forest
5. Florida State	13. Syracuse
6. Notre Dame	14. Pitt
7. North Carolina	15. Virginia
8. Duke	

VAN LITH NAMED PRESEASON ALL-ACC, VERHULST TO NEWCOMER WATCH LIST

Hailey Van Lith was named Preseason First Team All-ACC, while Payton Verhulst was named to the Newcomer Watch List.

■ **Van Lith** - Van Lith started every game for Louisville last season en route to being named to the ACC All-Freshman Team. She was named to the ACC All-Tournament Team, All-ACC Academic Team and twice was named ACC Freshman of the Week. She ranked third on the team with 11.2 points and 5.2 rebounds, while chipping in 2.1 assists per game. She shot 49-128 (.383) from 3-point range and 44-53 (.830) from the free throw line.

■ **Verhulst** - Verhulst was USA Today National Female Athlete of the Year, Kansas' Girls Basketball Player of the Year and overall Female Athlete of the Year and a McDonald's All-American. Over the summer, she helped USA Basketball Women's U19 Team win gold at the 2021 FIBA U19 World Cup in Debrecen, Hungary. She contributed three points, six rebounds and two assists in the 70-52 win over Australia in the final.

FOURTH STRAIGHT ACC TITLE

Last season, UofL won its fourth straight ACC title and second straight outright title. It marked the ninth conference title in program history. Prior to this stretch, Louisville had never won consecutive regular season conference titles. The last two outright regular season titles are the first since they won the Conference USA regular season championship in 2000-01.

■ Over last four seasons, the Cardinals are 67-10 (.870) in ACC regular season and tournament games combined. UofL is 59-7 (.894) in ACC regular season games. They are 30-4 (.882) in home games and 29-3 (.906) in road games.

HEAD COACH JEFF WALZ

Head coach **Jeff Walz**, in his 15th season as a head coach, has compiled a 385-108 record as the Cardinals' leader. Walz and the Cardinals boast quite an astounding resumé that includes 10 trips to the NCAA Sweet 16, six trips to the Elite Eight, three trips to the final four and two trips to the national title game. Overall, he has compiled a 33-12 record in NCAA Tournament games and ranks ninth all-time and fifth among active coaches with a 73.3 NCAA Tournament winning percentage.



All of this for a program that had just four NCAA Tournament wins and had never reached a Sweet 16 prior to Walz being named head coach.

Walz is the all-time winningest coach in program history and averages 27.5 victories per season. He directed Louisville to a program-record 36 victories in 2017-18 en route to being named ACC Coach of the Year, 34 victories in 2008-09, 33 wins in 2013-14 and 32 wins in 2018-19. The Cardinals finished with 28 and 26 wins in the shortened 2019-20 and 2020-21 seasons.

The Cardinals have reached 20 wins 11 consecutive times and they have won at least 20 games in 13 of Walz's 14 seasons. The longest run previously was three, achieved twice, and UofL had just 10 20-win seasons in its 32 previous years.

Walz has led Louisville to four consecutive Atlantic Coast Conference regular season titles in 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021, and over that four-year span, the Cardinals are a combined 122-15, which marks the fewest losses and best winning percentage over a four-year period in program history.

He also coached the ACC Player of the Year in five of six seasons as Myisha Hines-Allen won the award in 2016, Asia Durr in 2018 and 2019, and Dana Evans in 2020 and 2021. He also coached Angel McCoughtry to Big East Player of the Year honors in 2007.

After being hired as the Cardinals' head coach on March 27, 2007, the Bluegrass State native used little time to make a splash. His first year featured the program's first NCAA Sweet 16 and it culminated with Louisville earning the No. 12 ranking in the final ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll. For his efforts, Walz was named the WBCA Maggie Dixon Rookie Coach of the Year.

Prior to taking the reins at Louisville, Walz spent five seasons at Maryland, including his final season as the associate head coach in 2006-07. The season prior, he helped lead the Terrapins to a school-record 34 wins and the program's first national title.

Walz has four children: daughter Kaeley, son Jacob, and daughters Lola and Lucy. He married the former Lauren Lueders in September of 2012, and the couple resides in Louisville.

Walz's Milestone Collegiate Victories

No.	Date	Score
1	11/10/07	Louisville 81, Ball State 62
50	2/17/09	Louisville 89, St. John's 60
100	11/22/11	Louisville 78, Austin Peay 60
150	11/11/13	Louisville 100, Quinnipiac 82
200	1/29/15	Louisville 78, Syracuse 58
250	1/15/17	Louisville 63, Miami 59
300	11/6/18	Louisville 102, WKU 80
350	1/23/20	Louisville 71, Virginia 56

Louisville Women's Basketball History

Before Walz	With Walz
1975-2007	2007-pres
(32 seasons)	(14th season)
Overall Record	Overall Record
547-391 (.583)	385-108 (.781)
NCAAT Record	NCAAT Record
4-11 (.267)	33-12 (.733)
Sweet 16 App.	Sweet 16 App.
0	10
Elite Eight App.	Elite Eight App.
0	6
Final Four App.	Final Four App.
0	3
NCAA Finalist	NCAA Finalist
0	2

MOST UOFL VICTORIES

UofL's 26 wins last year rank 10th all-time. The top seven and 11 of the 12 top win totals have come under Walz.

ANOTHER 20-WIN SEASON

UofL went 26-4 and reached 20 wins for the 11th straight season to extend the program record. The longest run previously was three, achieved twice. The Cards have won at least 20 games in 13 of Walz's 14 seasons. Prior to Walz's arrival, Louisville had just 10 20-win seasons in its history.

Most UofL Victories

Year	Record	NCAA Postseason
2017-18	36-3	Final Four
2008-09	34-5	Runner-Up
2013-14	33-5	Elite Eight
2018-19	32-4	Elite Eight
2016-17	29-8	Sweet 16
2012-13	29-9	Runner-Up
2019-20	28-4	*No NCAA Tourney
2006-07	27-8	2nd Round
2014-15	27-7	Sweet 16
2020-21	26-4	Elite Eight
2015-16	26-8	2nd Round
2007-08	26-10	Sweet 16

PRESEASON AP AND USA TODAY RANKINGS

UofL is ranked sixth in the 2021-22 Associated Press preseason poll. The Cardinals received 575 points, 14 points shy of fifth place NC State. They were also picked sixth in the USA Today poll with 642 points, 19 points shy of fifth place Maryland.

■ **Staying Top 10** - UofL has remained in the AP Top 10 for 76 straight polls and the USA Today Top 10 for 77 straight polls, both program records. Louisville has remained in the AP Top 25 for 105 straight weeks, dating back to Jan. 11, 2016, and the USA Today Top 25 for 108 weeks, both program records.

■ **Preseason Top 10** - It marks the seventh consecutive season that Louisville has been ranked in the top 10 of the AP preseason poll, the 10th time in the past 11 years and the 11th time in Walz's 15-year tenure. Prior to his arrival, the Cardinals had never been ranked in the AP preseason Top 10.

CHALLENGING SCHEDULE

Eight of the Cardinals' opponents this season are ranked in the Associated Press' preseason top 25 (2. UConn, 5. NC State, 11. Michigan, 13. Kentucky, 16. Florida State, 17. Georgia Tech, 22. Arizona, 24. Virginia Tech). An additional two opponents received votes in the poll (Notre Dame, Belmont).

FOUR PLAYERS NAMED TO POSITION AWARD WATCH LISTS

Hailey Van Lith, Kianna Smith, Emily Engstler and Olivia Cochran were all named to their position award watch list. Louisville is one of five schools with a student-athlete on four of the five lists, joining South Carolina, Stanford, Tennessee and UConn. No school had a player on all five.

■ **Van Lith named to Nancy Lieberman Award Watch List** - Van Lith started every game for Louisville last season en route to being named to the ACC All-Freshman Team, ACC All-Tournament Team and the All-ACC Academic Team. She ranked third on the team with 11.2 points and 5.2 rebounds, while chipping in 2.1 assists per game. The Lieberman Award recognizes the top point guards.

■ **Kianna Smith named to Ann Meyers-Drysdale Award Watch List** - Smith played in 28 games with 20 starts in her first season as a Cardinal a year ago. She ranked second on the team with 11.4 points and third with 2.2 assists per game, and ranked eighth in the ACC with 55 made 3-point field goals. She was named to the ACC All-Tournament Team and the All-ACC Academic Team. The Meyers-Drysdale Award recognizes the top shooting guards.

■ **Emily Engstler named to Cheryl Miller Award Watch List** - Engstler transferred to Louisville after playing three seasons at Syracuse. Last season, she was named ACC Co-Sixth Player of the Year after nearly averaging a double-double with 10.5 points and 9.1 rebounds per game. She finished the season with seven double-doubles. The Miller Award recognizes the top small forwards.

■ **Olivia Cochran named to Katrina McClain Award Watch List** - Cochran was named to the All-ACC Freshman team last season after playing in 29 games with 25 starts, leading the team with 6.9 rebounds per game. She averaged 20.9 minutes, 9.9 points and 0.8 blocks. The McClain Award recognizes the top power forwards.

VAN LITH NAMED TO NAISMITH TROPHY WATCH LIST, NO. 18 BY ESPN

Hailey Van Lith was named to the Naismith Trophy Watch List and was ranked No. 18 on ESPN's Top 25 women's basketball players list.

■ ESPN writer Katie Barnes on Van Lith, "At just 5-7, Van Lith was among the best rebounders on Louisville's squad last season. Her tenacity and physicality make her stand out on the court. Her 38.3% 3-point shooting led the Cardinals last season, and with the graduation of Dana Evans, look for Van Lith to increase her scoring. Louisville has been a perennial power in the ACC, and if Van Lith has a breakout season, the Cardinals could be serious contenders."

■ ESPN analyst Debbie Antonelli on Van Lith, "Trustworthy in late-game playmaking situations with elite handle, decisions and free throw shooting; shot-making abilities outside arc and inside lane; dangerous on the catch, aggressive first step make her hard to guard."

21-22 NATIONAL RANKINGS**Associated Press**

(Preseason)

1	South Carolina (14)	0-0
2	UConn (10)	0-0
3	Stanford (5)	0-0
4	Maryland	0-0
5	NC State	0-0
6	Louisville	0-0
7	Baylor	0-0
8	Indiana	0-0
9	Iowa	0-0
10	Oregon	0-0
11	Michigan	0-0
12	Iowa State	0-0
13	Kentucky	0-0
14	Oregon State	0-0
15	Tennessee	0-0
16	Florida State	0-0
17	Ohio State	0-0
18	Georgia Tech	0-0
19	West Virginia	0-0
20	UCLA	0-0
21	South Florida	0-0
22	Arizona	0-0
23	Texas A&M	0-0
24	Virginia Tech	0-0
25	Texas	0-0

Others receiving votes: Georgia

65, Michigan State 63, Florida Gulf Coast 43, Missouri State 18, South Dakota 13, LSU 10, Arkansas 10, Washington State 9, Oklahoma State 8, Notre Dame 8, DePaul 6, Belmont 5, Oklahoma 3, South Dakota State 1

USA Today

(Preseason)

1	South Carolina (13)	0-0
2	UConn (6)	0-0
	Stanford (13)	0-0
4	NC State	0-0
5	Maryland	0-0
6	Louisville	0-0
7	Indiana	0-0
8	Baylor	0-0
9	Oregon	0-0
10	Michigan	0-0
11	Iowa	0-0
12	Tennessee	0-0
13	Kentucky	0-0
14	UCLA	0-0
15	Arizona	0-0
16	Iowa State	0-0
17	Texas A&M	0-0
18	Oregon State	0-0
19	Georgia	0-0
20	Georgia Tech	0-0
21	Texas	0-0
22	South Florida	0-0
23	West Virginia	0-0
24	Florida State	0-0
25	Ohio State	0-0

Others receiving votes: Missouri

State 112, Gonzaga 59, Virginia Tech 56, Florida Gulf Coast 54, Arkansas 53, Michigan State 28, Rutgers 17, Stephen F. Austin 16, South Dakota State 13, Washington State 13, LSU 13, Northwestern 13, BYU 11, North Carolina 11, UCF 8, Colorado 8, DePaul 5, Ole Miss 5, Belmont 4, Oklahoma 4, Delaware 4, South Dakota 3, Notre Dame 3, Houston 2, Seton Hall 1, Virginia 1, IUPUI 1

Louisville in the Polls

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STAYING IN THE AP TOP 10

UofL has remained in the AP Top 10 for 76 straight polls and the USA Today Top 10 for 77 straight polls, both program records. Louisville has remained in the AP Top 25 for 105 straight weeks, dating back to Jan. 11, 2016, and the USA Today Top 25 for 108 weeks, both program records.

VS. AP TOP 25

UofL went 3-3 against Top 25 teams last season. Walz has 67 wins over AP Top 25 teams.

VS. AP TOP 5

Louisville went 0-3 against Top 5 teams last season. Walz has 12 wins against top five teams in his tenure.

PRESEASON AP AND USA TODAY RANKINGS

Following a fourth straight Atlantic Coast Conference regular season title and a trip to the NCAA Elite Eight, Louisville was ranked sixth in the 2021-22 Associated Press and USA Today Coaches preseason polls. In the AP poll, the Cardinals were listed on all 29 ballots and received 575 points. It marks the seventh consecutive season that Louisville has been ranked in the top 10 of the AP preseason poll and the 10th time in the past 11 years.

WIN OVER NO. 1

UofL's 72-62 win over No. 1 Oregon in 2019-20 marked its second ever win over a No. 1 team, first since their 82-81 victory over No. 1 Baylor in the 2013 NCAA Tournament. The Cards are 2-11 all-time against AP No. 1 teams (1-0 vs. Baylor, 1-0 vs. Oregon, 0-10 vs. UConn, 0-1 vs. ND).

NON-CONFERENCE SUCCESS

All-time, Walz is 155-28 (.847) against nonconference foes in regular season play. UofL went 7-0 in non-conference play last season, which marked the second time in program history they have went undefeated against nonconference opponents in regular season play. They also finished undefeated in non-conference play (13-0) in 2018-19. They are 45-2 in non-conference play over the past four years. They had a 21-game non-conference regular season winning streak prior to the loss at Ohio State in 2019-20. Their previous loss was a 69-58 loss at No. 1 UConn on 2/12/18. They are 45-2 in non-conference play over the past four years.

ESPN LISTS MYKASA ROBINSON AS TOP 12 DEFENSIVE PLAYER

Last season, ESPN.com's Mechelle Voepel recognized Mykasa Robinson as one of the top 12 defenders in the country, "She makes this list as the quintessential "do the little things" player whose calling card is defense. Louisville star Dana Evans credits Robinson with bringing scrappiness to what is perennially one of the ACC's top defenses."

■ Following the win over Notre Dame, Dana Evans said this of Robinson, "She does everything, she can guard 1-5, she hustles for every loose ball, she gets every rebound that's in her area, she does everything that we need her to do. What she does doesn't always show up on the stat sheet, but she gets it done and that's why she is so valuable to our team."

■ Robinson's combination of strength, speed and quickness, combined with an extremely high basketball IQ makes her the most versatile defender in the ACC. Can guard positions 1-5 effectively. She drew 19 charges in 16 ACC games last season.

■ Robinson had 17 starts last season, 16 of which have come in the last 19 games. In the win at Pitt, she had a career-high nine rebounds and five steals, along with a season-high six points and five assists, while committing zero turnovers. She had a career-high 10 points on 5-5 shooting at Notre Dame, while taking an incredible five charges. She played a career-high 38 minutes and contributed eight rebounds, four assists and two steals against Wake Forest. She had seven points, seven rebounds, four assists and two steals vs. Marist. She had four points and tied a career-high with nine rebounds against Northwestern.

FRESHMEN BECOME SOPHOMORES

Last season, Hailey Van Lith (11.2 ppg, 5.2 rpg) and Olivia Cochran (9.9 ppg, 6.9 rpg) ranked in the top six in scoring and rebounding among ACC freshmen.

■ **Van Lith** - Hailey Van Lith set a career-high with 24 points, while tying her career-high with six made 3-pointers (6-10) in the win over Wake Forest. She also set a career-high with four steals. She also made six threes (6-11), while scoring 18 points, against Syracuse. Her six made 3-pointers are the most by a UofL freshmen since Mariya Moore made six 3-pointers (6-9) in a 69-56 win over Ball State on Nov. 23, 2014. She had three 20-point games this season, which is the most since Asia Durr had four in 2015-16. She had back-to-back 20-point games against ECU and DePaul, becoming the first UofL freshman to score 20 points in consecutive games since Myisha Hines-Allen had 23 points in two straight games against Miami and Syracuse on 1/25-1/29/15. She scored 10-plus in 18 of 30 games.

■ **Cochran** - Cochran had 13 points and 15 rebounds vs. Northwestern for her fifth double-double of the year. Her 15 rebounds are her career-high, the most by a UofL player last year and is tied for the second most by a UofL player in an NCAA Tournament game. Candyce Bingham had 20 rebounds vs. North Carolina in 2008 and 15 against Baylor in 2009. Cochran had a team-high 17 points and seven rebounds, while making her first seven shots in the win over UNC. She scored in double figures in 15 of 29 games and seven times had double digit rebounds.

■ **Double Doubles** - Cochran had five double-doubles on the year, which is the most by a UofL freshmen since Angel McCoughtry had five double-doubles as a freshman in 2005-06. Hailey Van Lith also had a double-double with 20 points and 11 rebounds against ECU. They were the first freshmen with a double-double since Dana Evans had 18 points and 10 assists in 87-63 win at UK on 12/17/17.

APPROACHING MILESTONES

■ **Kianna Smith approaches 1,000 career points** - Kianna Smith enters the season with 919 career points and is just 81 points shy of 1,000. She has 319 career points in a Louisville uniform.

■ **Walz approaches 400 career wins** - Louisville head coach Jeff Walz, already the winningest coach in program history, has 385 career wins, just 15 shy of 400.

Nonconference Success under Walz

Season	Record
2007-08	11-2
2008-09	13-1
2009-10	8-5
2010-11	9-5
2011-12	11-2
2012-13	12-2
2013-14	12-1
2014-15	12-1
2015-16	9-5
2016-17	13-2
2017-18	14-1
2018-19	13-0
2019-20	11-1
2020-21	7-0
Total	155-28

CAREER 20-POINT GAMES**Elizabeth Dixon (1 at UofL, 4 career)**

Miami	1/26/21	21
Wake Forest*	2/10/19	22
Pitt*	2/7/19	21
Duke*	1/10/19	22

Emily Engstler (2 career)

vs. Louisville*	3/6/21	21
Notre Dame*	1/5/20	22

Chelsie Hall (9 career)

Kentucky*	1/17/21	24
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Kianna Smith (2 at UofL, 4 career)

Georgia Tech	2/21/21	21
vs. DePaul	12/4/20	21
Oregon	2/8/19	20
vs. Virginia	3/16/18	20

Hailey Van Lith (3)

vs. Wake Forest	3/5/21	24
vs. DePaul	12/4/20	21
Eastern Kentucky	11/29/20	20

CAREER DOUBLE-DOUBLES**Olivia Cochran (5)**

vs. Northwestern	3/24/21	13 pts., 15 rebs.
vs. Syracuse	3/6/21	10 pts., 10 rebs.
at Wake Forest	1/24/21	10 pts., 11 rebs.
at Duke	12/9/20	11 pts., 12 rebs.
vs. DePaul	12/4/20	19 pts., 10 rebs.

Liz Dixon (2 at UofL, 6 career)

Florida State	1/17/21	10 pts., 10 rebs.
Western Kentucky	11/5/19	10 pts., 13 rebs.
Duke*	1/10/19	22 pts., 17 rebs.
Boston College*	1/3/19	12 pts., 10 rebs.
Georgia*	11/18/18	10 pts., 11 rebs.
Western Carolina*	11/14/18	13 pts., 10 rebs.

Emily Engstler (16 career)

vs. South Dakota State	3/21/21	18 pts., 12 rebs.
vs. Louisville	3/6/21	21 pts., 10 rebs.
Pitt	1/28/21	12 pts., 13 rebs.
at Louisville	1/21/21	16 pts., 11 rebs.
North Carolina	1/19/21	11 pts., 13 rebs.
Miami (FL)	1/17/21	11 pts., 10 rebs.
at North Carolina	12/17/20	18 pts., 10 rebs.
at North Carolina*	2/13/20	16 pts., 15 rebs.
at Virginia*	2/2/20	10 pts., 11 rebs.
Notre Dame*	1/5/20	22 pts., 15 rebs.
Michigan State*	12/20/19	13 pts., 17 rebs.
Michigan*	12/5/19	10 pts., 14 rebs.
Green Bay*	11/30/19	12 pts., 16 rebs.
Houston*	11/28/19	14 pts., 15 rebs.
Albany*	11/16/19	14 pts., 10 rebs.
UMES*	11/12/19	15 pts., 11 rebs.

Chelsie Hall (1 career)

vs. Tennessee State	11/21/18	23 pts., 10 ast.
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Kianna Smith (1)

Northern Kentucky	1/1/21	11 pts., 10 rebs.
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Hailey Van Lith (1)

vs. ECU	11/29/20	20 pts., 11 ast.
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BEST FANS IN THE COUNTRY

Last season, UofL welcomed in a season-high 2,989 socially distanced fans versus NC State on Feb. 1. They averaged 2,557 socially distanced fans last season, which ranked second in the country. They averaged 9,159 fans per game in 2019-20, which topped the

ACC and ranked fifth in the country. They welcomed 12,008 fans for the exhibition against the USA National Team in February of 2020.

KFC Yum! Center Attendance

Year	Avg.	High	DI Rank
2010-11	10,859	22,152 vs. UK (12/5/10)	2nd
2011-12	10,670	16,483 vs. UConn (2/7/12)	2nd
2012-13	9,358	15,453 vs. UK (12/2/12)	3rd
2013-14	9,469	22,163 vs. UConn (3/3/13)	3rd
2014-15	9,515	14,862 vs. UK (12/7/14)	3rd
2015-16	9,503	16,524 vs. Cal (11/15/15)	4th
2016-17	8,256	12,245 vs. UK (12/4/16)	5th
2017-18	7,836	14,248 vs. FSU (1/21/18)	5th
2018-19	9,531	17,023 vs. UConn (1/31/19)	3rd
2019-20	9,062	12,086 vs. ND (1/26/20)	5th
2020-21*	2,557	2,989 vs. NCST (2/1/21)	2nd

*Fans limited due to covid protocols

HOME COURT ADVANTAGE

UofL boasts a 165-18 record (.902) at the KFC Yum! Center. All-time at the venue, UofL holds a plus-22.0 scoring margin. Prior to last season's crowd being limited to 15 percent, Louisville was averaging 9,328 fans per contest and had welcomed over one million and a half fans through the doors of the KFC Yum! Center. The longest home winning streak in program history is 17 games when they won their final five home games in 2016-17 and their first 12 in 2017-18.

70-PLUS POINTS

Last season, UofL went 21-0 when scoring 70 points or more. UofL is 271-23 when surpassing the 70-point plateau under Walz. Their 79-73 loss to Miami in 2018-19 ended a 49-game winning streak when scoring 70-plus.

50/50

UofL shot over 50 percent seven times last season and went 7-0 in those games. Overall, they boast a 124-1 record when shooting 50 percent or better from the field under Walz. Their lone loss came on Nov. 29, 2008 at Nevada when they shot 50.8 percent (L, 85-82).

EVANS SETS NEW STANDARD

Evans, the two-time ACC Player of the Year and WBCA All-American, finished with a career record of 122-15 (.891). She concluded her career at UofL with the fewest losses and best winning percentage in program history. She is the only player in program history to claim four regular season conference championships. She finished just three wins shy of tying the 2019-20 class (Bionca Dunham, Jazmine Jones, Jessica Laemmle, Kylee Shook) that finished 125-19 (.868) with the most wins in four years. Her 1,715 career points rank ninth all-time at Louisville, her 521 assists and 222 made 3-pointers rank sixth and her 85.8 free throw percentage is the program's all-time best.

■ Evans was selected by the Dallas Wings with the 13th pick of the 2021 WNBA Draft. She was later traded to the Chicago Sky, was named to WNBA All-Rookie Team and won a WNBA title.

REACHING #1

Last season, on Jan. 18, UofL reached No. 1 in the AP and USA Today polls for the first time in program history. UofL is one of seven teams to be ranked No. 1 in the AP poll the last decade, joined by Baylor, UConn, Notre Dame, Oregon, South Carolina and Stanford.

SUCCESS AGAINST UNRANKED TEAMS

UofL went 23-1 against unranked teams last year and is 143-3 in their last 146 games. Prior to the 67-60 loss at Ohio State in 2019-20, they had won 102 consecutive games against teams not ranked in the AP Top 25. Their previous loss to an unranked team was a 79-66 setback vs. Dayton on 11/29/15.

ROAD WARRIORS

UofL went 7-1 in true road games last season and is 42-5 over the past four seasons. Prior to the losses at Ohio State and Syracuse in 2019-20, their only losses came to No. 1 teams (1/10/19 at No. 1 ND, L, 82-68; 2/12/18 at No. 1 UConn, L, 69-58).

NORMAN NAMED WBCA DIVISION I ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR

Last year, associate head coach Stephanie Norman was named the 2021 Division I Assistant Coach of the Year. Norman, now in her 15th year at Louisville and her 10th as associate head coach, has served on the Cardinals' staff since the hiring of head coach Jeff Walz.

THE LAST TIME LOUISVILLE ...**Defeated an AP Top 5 team:**

Feb. 13, 2020 - No. 4 NC State, W, 66-59

Defeated an AP Top 25 team:

March 28, 2021 - No. 23 Oregon, W, 60-42

Scored 100 or more points:

Dec. 4, 2020 - No. 20 DePaul, W, 116-75

Scored less than 50 points:

Jan. 21, 2018 - No. 12 Florida State, L, 50-49

Allowed 100 or more points:

Dec. 20, 2009 - Kentucky, L, 101-67

Held a team to less than 50 points:

March 28, 2021 - No. 23 Oregon, W, 60-42

Won an overtime game:

Dec. 19, 2019 - at UT Martin, W, 71-63 (2OT)

Lost an overtime game:

March 30, 2018 - No. 4 Miss. State, L, 73-63 (OT)

Played a double-overtime game:

Dec. 19, 2019 - at UT Martin, W, 71-63 (2OT)

THE LAST TIME UOFL HAD ...**A player score 30 points:**

47, Asia Durr vs. NC State (2/28/19)

A player score 35 points:

47, Asia Durr vs. NC State (2/28/19)

A player score 40 points:

47, Asia Durr vs. NC State (2/28/19)

Two players score 20 points in a game:

25, Dana Evans; 21, Kianna Smith vs. GT (2/11/21)

Three players score 20 points in a game:

21, Kianna Smith; 21, Hailey Van Lith; 20, Dana Evans vs. DePaul (12/4/20)

A player grab 15 boards:

15, Oliva Cochran vs. Northwestern (3/24/21)

A player grab 20 boards:

20, Angel McCoughtry vs. Syracuse (2/3/09)

Two or more players grab 10 rebounds in a game:

15, Kylee Shook; 12, Bionca Dunham vs. Oregon (11/30/19)

A player dish out 10 assists:

10, Dana Evans at Kentucky (12/15/19)

A player record five or more steals:

6, Norika Konno vs. Marist (3/22/21)

A player with five or more blocked shots:

5, Kylee Shook at Pitt (2/23/20)

Two players record a double-double:

Dana Evans, Kylee Shook at Kentucky (12/15/19)

Three players record a double-double:

M. Hines-Allen, M. Moore, S. Fuehring vs. Va. Tech (2/9/17)

Six players score in double figures:

Cochran (17), Dixon (13), Evans (13), K. Smith (13), Van Lith (11), Balogun (10) vs. UNC (1/28/21)

Seven players score in double figures:

Durr (12), Fuehring (12), Jones (12), Dunham (11), Hines-Allen (11), Shook (11), Evans (10) vs. TSU (12/12/17)

A player records a triple-double:

11 pts., 11 rbs., 10 assts. Mariya Moore vs. Syracuse (12/29/16)

A player with 7 or more 3-pointers:

7, Dana Evans at Boston College (1/16/20)

A player with 10 or more made free throws:

10, Dana Evans at UT Martin (12/19/19)

A player hit a last-second shot to win a game:

Sam Fuehring, :02.5 vs. Arizona State, 58-56 (11/23/18)

WALZ IN THE BIG DANCE

Walz boasts a 33-12 record in NCAA Tournament games. He is ninth all-time in winning percentage and 5th among active coaches. He has directed UofL to a pair of national runner-up finishes (2009, 2013), three Final Fours (2009, 2013, 2018), six Elite Eights (2009, 2013, 2014, 2018, 2019, 2021), 10 trips to the Sweet 16 and 12 NCAA Tournaments.

NCAA Tournament All-Time Winning Percentage			
No.	Coach	Record	Years
1.	Geno Auriemma, UConn	.856 (125-21)	1989-pres
2.	Pat Summitt, Tennessee	.830 (112-23)	1982-2012
3.	Kim Mulkey, Baylor	.768 (53-16)	2001-pres
4.	Vic Schaefer, Miss. St./Texas	.760 (19-6)	1990-pres
5.	Linda Sharp, USC/Texas St.	.760 (19-6)	1982-1997
6.	Leon Barmore, Louisiana Tech	.747 (56-19)	1983-2002
7.	Tara VanDerveer, OSU, Stan	.744 (93-32)	1982-pres
8.	Muffet McGraw, Notre Dame	.736 (67-24)	1987-2020
9.	Jeff Walz, Louisville	.733 (33-12)	2008-pres
10.	Brenda Frese, Maryland	.698 (37-16)	2002-pres

WALZ NAMED WBCA COY FINALIST, NAISMITH COY SEMIFINALIST

Last season, head coach Jeff Walz was named a WBCA Coach of the Year Finalist and a Werner Ladder Naismith Coach of the Year Semifinalist. Despite losing five seniors from the 2019-20 team and having just one player named to the All-ACC first or second team, Walz led the Cardinals to their fourth straight ACC regular season title. Louisville won its first 16 games and reached No. 1 in the Associated Press and USA Today polls for the first time in program history.

VAN LITH TWICE NAMED ACC FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK

Hailey Van Lith was twice named ACC Freshman of the Week last season. She earned the honor after averaging 11.3 points, 7.0 rebounds, 2.3 assists and 1.7 steals, while shooting a perfect 10-10 from the free throw line to help the No. 2 Cardinals get wins over UT Martin, Virginia Tech and Clemson. She was also named ACC FOW after averaging 16.5 points and 9.5 rebounds, and shooting 52 percent from the floor and 6-12 from deep, in her first two games at UofL. She was the first UofL women's basketball player to earn ACC Freshman of the Week honors since Asia Durr did so on Feb. 1, 2016.

MELTING POT

Of the 14 student-athletes on its roster, 11 are from different states (California, Florida, Georgia, Kansas, Kentucky, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, South Dakota, Tennessee, Washington). Norika Konno is from Sendai, Japan and Merissah Russell is from Ottawa, Ontario.

TOP TEAM EFFORTS UNDER JEFF WALZ

- Most points scored in a game:** 116 vs. DePaul, 12/4/20 (UofL 116, DePaul 75)
- Most field goals made in a game:** 49 vs. DePaul, 12/4/20 (UofL 116, DePaul 75)
- Most 3-point field goals made in a game:** 18 vs. Syracuse, 2/11/12 (UofL 89, SU 62)
- Most free throws made in a game:** 32 vs. Rutgers, 1/11/09 (UofL 64, RU 59)
- Most free throws attempted in a game:** 42 vs. Rutgers, 1/11/09 (UofL 64, RU 59)
- Most total rebounds in a game:** 68 vs. Loyola-Chicago, 11/9/13 (UofL 101, LC 54)
- Most assists in a game:** 28 vs. Ball State, 12/17/13 (UofL 105, BSU 67); vs. Chattanooga, 3/18/17 (UL 82, UTC 62)
- Most steals in a game:** 24 vs. BYU, 3/21/15 (UofL 86, BYU 53)
- Most blocked shots in a game:** 11 vs. DePaul, 12/4/20 (UofL 116, DePaul 75); vs. TSU, 12/2/18 (UofL 107, TSU 52)
- Fewest turnovers in a game:** 3 vs. Oregon State, 3/26/18 (UofL 76, OSU 43)
- Fewest points allowed in a game:** 25 vs. Tennessee State, 12/31/12 (UofL 88, TSU 25)
- Largest margin of victory:** 74 vs. Wagner, 12/21/12 (UofL 106, WC 32)
- Highest field goal percentage in a game:** .678 (40-59) vs. IPFW, 11/29/10 (UofL 100, IPFW 79)
- Highest 3-point percentage in a game (min. 8 attempts):** .714 (10-14) vs. Rutgers, 3/8/09 (UofL 87, RU 82, 2 OT)
- Lowest field goal percentage allowed:** .167 (9-54) Tennessee State, 12/31/12 (UofL 88, TS 25)

HONORS

- Olivia Cochran**
2021-22 Katrina McClain Award Watch List
2020-21 ACC All-Freshman Team
- Liz Dixon**
2020-21 All-ACC Academic Team
2018-19 ACC All-Freshman Team (Georgia Tech)
- Emily Engstler**
2021-22 Cheryl Miller Award Watch List
2021 ACC All-Tournament Second Team
2020-21 ACC Co-Sixth Player of the Year (Syracuse)
- Chelsie Hall**
2019-20 SEC Community Service Team
2017-18 SEC All-Freshman Team
- Mykasa Robinson**
2020-21 All-ACC Academic Team
2020-21 ACC All-Defensive Team
- Kianna Smith**
2021-22 Ann Meyers-Drysdale Award Watch List
2021 ACC All-Tournament First Team
2020-21 All-ACC Academic Team
2020-21 Preseason ACC Newcomer Watch List
- Hailey Van Lith**
Ranked No. 18 on ESPN's Top 25 Players List
2021-22 Naismith Trophy Watch List
2021-22 Nancy Lieberman Award Watch List
2021-22 Preseason All-ACC
2021 ACC All-Tournament First Team
2020-21 All-ACC Academic Team
2020-21 ACC All-Freshman Team
2020-21 Preseason ACC Newcomer Watch List
2020-21 Naismith Award Watch List
2020-21 Lieberman Award Watch List
- Jeff Walz**
2020-21 Naismith Coach of the Year Semifinalist
2019-20 Naismith Coach of the Year Semifinalist
2019 USA Basketball National Coach of the Year
2018-19 Naismith Coach of the Year Semifinalist
2017-18 ACC Coach of the Year
2017-18 Naismith Coach of the Year Semifinalist



O RAMANI PARKER

Forward | 6-4 | Redshirt-Sophomore
Fresno, Calif. | Montverde Academy

SEASON HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS	MISC STATS	Season	Career
Points.....	Points..... 10 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)	Double-Doubles.....		
Reb.....	Reb..... 7 vs. ECU (11/29/20)	10-Plus Points.....	1	1
Asst.....	Asst..... 1 vs. Syracuse (3/6/21)	20-Plus Points.....		
Blocks.....	Blocks..... 1, (five times) latest vs. Wake (3/5/21)	30-Plus Points.....		
Steals.....	Steals..... 1 vs. NC State (3/7/21)	Team-High Points.....		
FGM.....	FGM..... 5 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)	10-Plus Rebounds.....		
FGA.....	FGA..... 5 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)	Team-High Rebounds.....		
3FGM.....	3FGM.....	10-Plus Assists.....		
3FGA.....	3FGA.....	Team-High Assists.....		
FT.....	FT..... 3 at BC (2/4/21)			
FT.....	FTA..... 3 vs. UTM (12/6/20), at BC (2/4/21)			
Minutes.....	Minutes..... 16 vs. Wake (3/5/21)			

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME													
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
at SEMO	8	1-2	0-0	0-0	1-3-4	2	0	3	1	0	2	2.0	
ECU	15	1-2	0-0	0-0	1-6-7	4	0	1	0	0	2	2.0	
vs. DEPAUL	10	3-3	0-0	1-2	1-3-4	3	0	1	0	0	7	3.7	
UTM	5	1-2	0-0	2-3	2-0-2	1	0	0	0	0	4	3.8	
at DUKE	1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	
NKU	2	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2.8	
BELL	9	5-5	0-0	0-2	0-1-1	0	0	0	0	0	10	3.9	
UTM	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	0	0	2	0	0	0	3.4	
at VT					DNP								
CLEMSON	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	
BC	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2.7	
FSU	2	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	0	0	0	1	0	4	2.8	
SYR					DNP								
at WAKE					DNP								
MIAMI					DNP								
UNC					DNP								
NC STATE					DNP								
at BC	10	2-3	0-0	3-3	3-2-5	3	0	2	0	0	7	3.2	
ND					DNP								
GT					DNP								
at PITT	4	0-0	0-0	2-2	1-1-2	0	0	0	1	0	2	3.1	
at FSU					DNP								
at ND					DNP								
vs. WAKE	16	3-3	0-0	0-0	1-3-4	0	0	0	1	0	6	3.3	
vs. SYR	11	0-4	0-0	0-0	1-2-3	1	1	1	0	0	0	3.1	
vs. NC STATE	10	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1-1	2	0	0	0	1	0	2.9	
vs. MARIST	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.7	
vs. NW					DNP								
vs. OREGON					DNP								
vs. STANFORD					DNP								

- Redshirt Freshman Year (2020-21)
- Played in 17 games, averaging 2.7 points and 2.2 rebounds, while shooting 65.5 percent from the floor
 - Recorded six points and four rebounds in a season-high 16 minutes in the ACC Quarterfinals vs. Wake Forest on 3/5
 - Recorded seven points and five rebounds in 10 minutes vs. Boston College on 2/4
 - Career-high ten points on 5-5 from the field in a win vs. Bellarmine on 1/2
 - Recorded seven points on a 3-3 from the field in 10 minutes vs. DePaul on 12/4
 - Career-high seven rebounds in 15 minutes vs. ECU on 11/29
 - Posted two points and four rebounds in eight minutes in first collegiate game at SEMO on 11/25
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- Freshman Year (2019-20)
- Redshirted
- High School
- Came to Louisville as a four-star prospect, ranked 99th overall in the class of 2019, according to espnW HoopGurlz
 - Rated No. 13 at the forward position by espnW
 - Rated 29th overall and as the seventh-best forward by Prospects Nation
 - Played for Central High School in Fresno, Calif., before transferring to Montverde Academy in Montverde, Fla., for her senior season
 - Named to Citizen Naismith High School Girls' Watch List
 - Chose Louisville over Stanford, UCLA, Notre Dame, Michigan, Duke, Ohio State and Oregon State, Baylor and South Carolina
- High School
- Born on June 6, 2001
 - Daughter of Ralph and Shavon Parker; has four brothers
 - Majoring in neuroscience/psychology

RAMANI PARKER CAREER STATISTICS																				
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2020-21	17-0	118/6.9	19-29	.655	0-1	.000	8-12	.667	11	27	38	2.2	19	0	1	10	5	1	46	2.7
TOTAL	17-0	118/6.9	19-29	.655	0-1	.000	8-12	.667	11	27	38	2.2	19	0	1	10	5	1	46	2.7
2 NCAA RUNNER-UPS (2009, 2013) 3 FINAL FOURS (2009, 2013, 2018) 6 ELITE EIGHTS 10 SWEET 16'S 23 NCAA TOURNAMENTS																				



Guard | 5-9 | Senior
Charlotte, N.C. | Gulf Coast State / UCLA / Mallard Creek

*at UCLA

Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
at SEMO*	21	3-7	0-2	1-2	1-0-1	2 2	1 0	3 7	7.0			
EKU*	21	3-6	2-4	1-2	2-4-6	1 2	3 1	2 9	8.0			
vs. DEPAUL*	15	2-5	0-1	1-1	0-1-1	3 1	2 0	0 5	7.0			
UTM*	13	0-2	0-2	1-2	0-0-0	1 2	0 0	1 1	5.5			
at DUKE	7	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	0 0	1 0	0 0	4.4			
NKU	10	1-2	0-1	0-0	0-2-2	1 1	1 0	1 2	4.0			
BELL	25	3-6	0-2	1-2	2-1-3	0 2	1 2	1 7	4.4			
UTM	19	2-7	1-3	1-2	0-0-0	3 0	1 0	2 6	4.6			
at VT	14	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0 0	0 0	0 4	4.6			
CLEMSON					DNP							
BC	5	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	1 2	1 0	0 0	4.1			
FSU	12	2-4	1-2	0-0	0-1-1	0 0	1 0	0 5	4.2			
SYR	2	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0 0	0 0	0 0	3.8			
at WAKE	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0 0	0 0	0 0	3.5			
MIAMI	5	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0-0	2 0	0 0	0 0	3.3			
UNC	3	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0 1	0 0	0 0	3.1			
NC STATE					DNP							
at BC	14	4-5	1-2	0-0	0-0-0	1 0	0 0	1 9	3.4			
ND					DNP							
GT	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0 0	1 0	0 0	3.2			
at PITT	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1-2	1 1	0 1	0 0	3.1			
at FSU	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0 0	0 0	0 0	2.9			
at ND*	11	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	2 0	0 0	1 2	2.9			
vs. WAKE	12	1-3	1-1	0-0	0-0-0	2 2	0 0	1 3	2.9			
vs. SYR	11	1-3	0-1	0-0	2-0-2	1 0	0 0	1 2	2.8			
vs. NC STATE	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0 0	0 0	0 0	2.7			
vs. MARIST	22	3-4	1-2	0-0	0-3-3	2 2	0 0	1 7	2.9			
vs. NW	10	0-2	0-0	0-0	1-0-1	1 0	0 0	0 0	2.8			
vs. OREGON	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0 0	1 0	0 0	2.7			
vs. STANFORD	8	3-3	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	0 0	1 0	1 6	2.8			

- Played in 27 games with five starts, including starts in the first four games
- Averaged 2.8 points, while shooting 45.6 percent from the floor and 7-24 from 3-point range
- Scored six points on a perfect 3-3 shooting from the field in the Elite 8 vs. Stanford on 3/30
- Recorded seven points, three rebounds, and two assists in the first round of the NCAA Tournament vs. Marist
- Finished with two points vs. Notre Dame on 2/28
- Tied a season-high nine points, on 4-5 from the field, in a win at Boston College on 2/4
- Recorded seven points, three rebounds and a career-high two blocks in a win vs. Bellarmine on 1/2
- Recorded nine points, on 2-4 from three, in addition to two assists and six rebounds vs. ECU on 11/29
- Finished with seven points, three steals and two assists in her first Louisville start at SEMO on 11/25

- Named the 2019-20 NJCAA Division I Women's Basketball Player of the Year
- Named NJCAA First Team All-American, NJCAA Region VIII Player of the Year and NCJAA Player of the Week (11/4-11/10)
- Led Gulf Coast State with 20.3 points and 2.7 steals per game, while also recording 4.8 rebounds and 2.0 assists per game, shot 43.9 percent from the floor
- Led Gulf Coast State to a 23-5 record, including an undefeated 11-win mark at home. The Commodores finished as runner-up in the NJCAA South Atlantic District tournament before earning an at-large selection to the national tournament as the No. 5 seeded team
- Posted three 30-point performances throughout the season and put up double-digit scoring marks in all but one contest that she participated in
- Boasted a season-high 39-point performance in the second game of the season in a 97-89 win at Florida SouthWestern

- Played in 32 games, the most of among freshmen on the team. She averaged 12.6 minutes, 3.0 points and 1.9 rebounds on the year
- Opened her collegiate career by scoring a career-high 13 points in UCLA's season opener at Loyola Marymount, shot 6-10 from the floor and added four rebounds
- Pulled down a career-high seven rebounds against Colorado in UCLA's regular season finale

- At Mallard Creek High School, she was named First Team All-MeCkA 4A and State Tournament MVP as the Mavericks went 29-1 overall in her junior year
- The Mavericks fell in the state semifinals after winning the MeCkA 4A title in 2016
- She averaged 16.5 points, 4.0 rebounds and 4.0 assists per game in 2017
- Spent her first two seasons prepping at Zebulon B. Vance High School where averaged 21.7 points, 6.6 rebounds, 4.6 steals, 2.0 assists and 1.8 blocks per game as a sophomore, while being named All-League
- She averaged 19.4 points per game as a freshman
- Coming out of high school, she was ranked No. 30 in ESPNW's HoopGurlz rankings and No. 34 by Prospects Nation

- Born on November 17, 2000
- Daughter of Rosa Morales and David Smith, has one sister Kiana
- Majoring in sports administration

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds											Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fita	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
2018-19*	32-0	403/12.6	40-111	.360	8-36	.222	8-14	.571	20	42	62	1.9	34	0	20	29	8	19	96	3.0	
2020-21	27-5	285/10.6	31-68	.456	7-24	.292	6-11	.545	9	16	25	0.9	24	0	18	15	4	16	75	2.8	
TOTAL	27-5	285/10.6	31-68	.456	7-24	.292	6-11	.545	9	16	25	0.9	24	0	18	15	4	16	75	2.8	
All*	59-5	688/11.7	71-179	.397	15-60	.250	14-25	.560	29	58	87	1.5	58	0	38	44	12	35	171	2.9	

* at UCLA



Guard | 5-7 | Senior
Ashland, Ky. | Ashland Blazer

Points.....	10 at Notre Dame (2/28/21)
Reb	9 at Pitt (2/18/21), vs. Northwestern (3/24/21)
Asst.....	5 at Pitt (2/18/21)
Blocks	1, (five times) latest vs. Stanford (3/30/21)
Steals	5 at Pitt (2/18/21)
FGM	5 at Notre Dame (2/28/21)
FGA	6 vs. NC State (3/7/21), vs. Stanford (3/30/21)
3FGM.....	
3FGA.....	1 vs. EKU (11/29/20)
FT	2, (three times) latest vs. Northwestern (3/24/21)
FTA	3 at Pitt (2/18/21)
Minutes.....	38 vs. Wake (3/5/21)

Points.....10 at Notre Dame (2/28/21)
 Reb.....9 at Pitt (2/18/21), vs. Northwestern (3/24/21)
 Asst.....9 vs Notre Dame (2/16/20)
 Blocks.....1 (eleven times) latest vs. Stanford (3/30/21)
 Steals.....5 at Pitt (2/18/21)
 FGM.....5 at Notre Dame (2/28/21)
 FGA.....7 vs. BC (2/27/20)
 3FGM.....1 at UTC (11/9/18)
 3FGA.....1, (four times) latest vs. ECU (11/29/20)
 FT.....7 vs. TSU (12/21/18)
 FTA.....8, (two times) latest vs. TSU (12/2/18)
 Minutes.....38 vs. Wake (3/5/21)

MISC STATS	Season	Career
Double-Doubles.....	0	0
10-Plus Points.....	1	1
20-Plus Points.....	0	0
30-Plus Points.....	0	0
Team-High Points.....	0	0
10-Plus Rebounds.....	0	0
Team-High Rebounds.....	6	8
10-Plus Assists.....	0	0
Team-High Assists.....	6	12

Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
at SEMO	19	0-1	0-0	0-0	3-1-4	3	4	2	0	2	0	0.0
EKU	20	1-4	0-1	0-0	4-1-5	0	4	2	0	0	2	1.0
vs. DEPAUL	19	0-1	0-0	2-2	3-2-5	4	2	2	0	1	2	1.3
UTM	13	0-1	0-0	0-0	2-3-5	2	3	1	0	0	0	1.0
at DUKE	18	0-3	0-0	0-0	4-2-6	2	1	0	0	0	0	0.8
NKU	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0.7
BELL	16	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-5-5	1	3	0	0	1	2	0.9
UTM	8	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-3-3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0.8
at VT	11	1-3	0-0	0-1	1-1-2	1	0	0	0	1	2	0.9
CLEMSON*	22	1-3	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	3	4	1	0	3	2	1.0
BC	14	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	0	1	3	0	0	2	1.1
FSU*	20	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	1	1	0	1	2	1.2
SYR*	25	1-1	0-0	0-0	3-3-6	2	2	1	0	0	2	1.2
at WAKE*	13	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-0-1	3	3	1	0	0	2	1.3
MIAMI*	24	0-0	0-0	0-2	2-0-2	3	2	2	0	0	0	1.2
UNC	13	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-3-3	1	1	0	0	1	0	1.1
NC STATE	10	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	2	2	0	0	4	0	1.1
at BC*	35	1-4	0-0	0-0	2-6-8	2	2	1	1	0	2	1.1
ND*	32	2-4	0-0	1-2	2-6-8	2	4	1	1	2	5	1.3
GT*	19	0-2	0-0	0-0	1-6-7	4	2	1	0	0	0	1.3
at PITT*	27	2-3	0-0	2-3	3-6-9	3	5	0	0	5	6	1.5
at FSU*	26	1-2	0-0	1-2	2-3-5	4	0	3	0	1	3	1.5
at ND	27	5-5	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	3	4	0	0	3	10	1.9
vs. WAKE*	38	1-5	0-0	0-0	2-6-8	2	4	0	0	2	2	1.9
vs. SYR*	22	3-5	0-0	1-1	1-3-4	3	0	1	0	0	7	2.1
vs. NC STATE*	13	2-6	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	1	0	0	0	1	4	2.2
vs. MARIST*	20	3-5	0-0	1-1	3-4-7	1	4	0	1	2	7	2.4
vs. NW*	29	1-4	0-0	2-2	3-6-9	2	1	3	1	1	4	2.4
vs. OREGON*	24	1-3	0-0	0-0	2-5-7	1	1	0	0	1	2	2.4
vs. STANFORD*	34	3-6	0-0	1-2	4-4-8	3	3	1	1	2	7	2.6

- Played in all 30 games with 17 starts, all 17 starts came in the final 21 games
- Averaged 20.9 minutes, 2.8 points, 4.4 rebounds, 2.2 assists and 1.2 steals per game
- Named to the 2020-21 ACC All-Defensive Team
- Named to All-ACC Academic Team
- Listed as Top 12 defensive player by ESPN.com's Mechelle Voepel, "She makes this list as the quintessential 'do the little things' player whose calling card is defense; Louisville star Dana Evans credits Robinson with bringing scrappiness to what is perennially one of the ACC's top defenses
- Following the win over Notre Dame, Dana Evans said this of Robinson, "She does everything, she can guard 1-5, she hustles for every loose ball, she gets every rebound that's in her area, she does everything that we need her to do. What she does doesn't always show up on the stat sheet, but she gets it done and that's why she is so valuable to our team."
- Robinson's combination of strength, speed and quickness, combined with an extremely high basketball IQ makes her the most versatile defender in the ACC. Can guard positions 1-5 effectively
- Drew 19 charges in 16 ACC games
- Led the team with eight rebounds and three assists in addition to seven points in the Elite 8 vs. Stanford on 3/30
- Recorded a team high seven rebounds in the Sweet 16 vs. Oregon
- Grabbed nine rebounds and recorded four points and a block in the second round of the NCAA Tournament vs. Northwestern
- Recorded team highs in both rebounds with seven and assists with four, in addition to seven points, two steals, and a block in the first round of the NCAA Tournament vs. Marist
- Provided valuable minutes in the ACC Semifinals vs. SYR, contributing seven points and four rebounds in 22 minutes
- Played a career-high 38 minutes, recording four assists, two steals and a team-high eight rebounds in the ACC Quarterfinals vs. Wake on 3/5
- Recorded a career-high 10 points on 5-5 from the field, in addition to four assists, three steals and five charges taken at Notre Dame on 2/28
- In the win at Pitt, she had a career-high nine rebounds and five steals, along with a season-high six points and five assists, while committing zero turnovers
- Recorded five points, in addition to eight rebounds, four assists, two steals and one block in a win vs. Notre Dame on 2/7
- Tied a career-high with eight rebounds in a season-high 35 minutes at Boston College on 2/4
- Led the team with two assists and recorded a career-high four steals in 10 minutes vs. NC State on 2/1
- Recorded a team-high three assists in a win at Wake Forest on 1/24
- Finished with two points, two assists and six rebounds vs. Syracuse on 1/21
- Recorded two points, three steals and four assists in her first start of the season vs. Clemson on 1/10
- Scored two points and grabbed five rebounds in a win vs. crosstown Bellarmine on 1/2
- Finished with six rebounds in a win at Duke on 12/9
- Recorded four assists, four rebounds and two steals in season opener at SMO on 11/25

- Played in 30 games with three starts, averaging 2.7 points, 3.1 rebounds, 2.3 assists and 1.2 steals in 17.7 minutes
- In the final 18 games, averaged 3.8 points, 3.9 rebounds, 2.9 assists and 1.2 steals, while shooting 27-49 from the floor, in 20.7 minutes per game. In the first 14 games, she averaged 0.9 points, 1.8 rebounds and 1.4 assists in 13.2 minutes per game
- In ACC play, she averaged 3.7 points, 3.8 rebounds and 2.8 assists in 19.7 minutes
- Scored career-high seven points, while adding five rebounds and five assists and committing just one turnover in 30 minutes vs. Boston College
- Played career-high 36 minutes at Pitt on 2/23, matching career-high eight rebounds and adding team-high eight assists
- Matched season-high six points on 3-5 shooting against Notre Dame on 2/16, finishing with a career-high and team-high nine assists. Also tallied seven rebounds in a career-high 30 minutes
- Made third career start at Syracuse on 2/9, finishing with four points and three steals
- Finished with five points and four rebounds against Florida State on 2/6
- Played career-high 28 minutes and finished with six points, six rebounds and three assists at BC
- Finished with seven assists to set career-high, while adding five rebounds and three steals, at Miami on 1/9/20
- Had a season high six points on 3-5 shooting against Duke on 1/5
- Five rebounds and three steals in 22 minutes in double-overtime win at UTM
- Four points, four rebounds, three steals and two assists in 15 minutes vs. Chattanooga on 11/21. Was also featured on ESPN SportsCenter Top 10 after recording steal and making no-look pass to Norika Konno for layup

- Played in 35 of 36 games, averaging 1.7 points and 1.7 rebounds
- Entered the game trailing 32-22 with 5:34 left to go in the first half vs. NC State, and went on a 22-2 run the rest of the half to enter the locker room with a 44-34 lead. She played five minutes with four fouls, two steals and two turnovers
- Made second career start with 27-minute effort in first round vs. Robert Morris on 3/22
- Five rebounds and two assists in 16 minutes at Virginia on 2/21
- Matched season highs with 7 points and three steals at Wake Forest on 1/20.

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fia	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2018-19	35-2	373/10.7	19-43	.442	1-2	.500	19-38	.500	23	36	59	1.7	43	0	18	29	2	20	58	1.7
2019-20	30-3	530/17.7	31-66	.470	0-1	.000	18-31	.581	36	56	92	3.1	48	1	69	39	4	35	80	2.7
2020-21	30-17	626/20.9	33-79	.418	0-1	.000	11-18	.611	48	84	132	4.4	61	0	66	26	5	35	77	2.6
TOTAL	95-22	1529/16.1	83-188	.441	1-4	.250	48-87	.552	107	176	283	3.0	152	1	153	94	11	90	215	2.3



10 HAILEY VAN LITH

Guard | 5-7 | Sophomore
Wenatchee, Wash. | Cashmere

SEASON HIGHS		CAREER HIGHS		MISC STATS	
Points.....	24 vs. Wake (3/5/21)	Points.....	24 vs. Wake (3/5/21)	Season	Career
Reb.....	11 vs. EKU (11/29/20)	Reb.....	11 vs. EKU (11/29/20)	Double-Doubles.....	1
Asst.....	4, (five times) latest vs. Marist (3/22/21)	Asst.....	4, (five times) latest vs. Marist (3/22/21)	10-Plus Points.....	18
Blocks.....	2 vs. EKU (11/29/20)	Blocks.....	2 vs. EKU (11/29/20)	20-Plus Points.....	3
Steals.....	4 vs. Wake (3/5/21)	Steals.....	4 vs. Wake (3/5/21)	30-Plus Points.....	0
FGM.....	9 vs. Wake (3/5/21)	FGM.....	9 vs. Wake (3/5/21)	Team-High Points.....	4
FGA.....	15 vs. Wake (3/5/21)	FGA.....	15 vs. Wake (3/5/21)	10-Plus Rebounds.....	1
3FGM.....	6 vs. Syracuse (1/21/21), vs. Wake (3/5/21)	3FGM.....	6 vs. Syracuse (1/21/21), vs. Wake (3/5/21)	Team-High Rebounds.....	7
3FGA.....	11 vs. Syracuse (1/21/21)	3FGA.....	11 vs. Syracuse (1/21/21)	10-Plus Assists.....	0
FT.....	6 vs. UTM (12/6/20)	FT.....	6 vs. UTM (12/6/20)	Team-High Assists.....	7
FT.....	7 vs. UTM (12/6/20)	FTA.....	7 vs. UTM (12/6/20)		
Minutes.....	39 vs. Wake (3/5/21), vs. Stanford (3/30/21)	Minutes.....	39 vs. Wake (3/5/21), vs. Stanford (3/30/21)		

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME												
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
at SEMO*	28	6-12	1-3	0-0	3-5-8	3	1	2	1	1	13	13.0
EKU*	27	7-13	5-9	1-2	4-7-11	1	1	2	2	20	16.5	
vs. DEPAUL*	25	8-11	3-5	2-3	0-4-4	4	1	1	1	1	21	18.0
UTM*	29	2-9	0-2	6-7	1-6-7	2	3	1	0	3	10	16.0
at DUKE*	37	5-11	2-4	2-2	1-3-4	0	3	2	0	1	14	15.6
NKU*	30	3-11	0-3	4-4	1-2-3	2	0	1	0	2	10	14.7
BELL*	22	2-5	0-2	0-0	3-5-8	1	0	0	0	0	4	13.1
UTM*	27	4-8	0-4	4-4	1-4-5	3	3	0	0	0	12	13.0
at VT*	37	5-11	1-3	4-4	2-5-7	1	3	3	0	3	15	13.2
CLEMSON*	35	2-8	1-5	2-2	2-7-9	3	1	3	0	2	7	12.6
BC*	28	5-9	2-3	1-1	1-4-5	3	4	1	0	1	13	12.6
FSU*	27	6-9	3-5	0-0	0-4-4	2	3	1	0	0	15	12.8
SYR*	37	6-14	6-11	0-0	2-6-8	2	1	1	1	1	18	13.2
at WAKE*	33	2-7	1-3	0-0	0-2-2	3	2	5	0	0	5	12.6
MIAMI*	28	3-9	2-8	1-2	1-4-5	3	4	3	0	2	9	12.4
UNC*	31	4-11	3-8	0-0	0-2-2	2	4	0	0	0	11	12.3
NC STATE*	34	3-10	0-2	0-0	2-2-4	2	1	2	0	0	6	11.9
at BC*	28	6-12	2-6	1-1	1-2-3	3	3	5	0	0	15	12.1
ND*	19	1-6	0-2	1-2	1-2-3	1	1	2	0	1	3	11.6
GT*	26	1-4	1-2	1-2	2-3-5	1	0	4	0	1	4	11.3
at PITT*	33	5-9	0-1	3-3	0-6-6	1	4	2	1	0	13	11.3
at FSU*	22	1-7	0-1	3-6	3-5-8	4	2	1	0	2	5	11.0
at ND*	30	3-13	2-5	2-2	2-2-4	2	2	1	0	2	10	11.0
vs. WAKE*	39	9-15	6-10	0-0	0-5-5	0	3	0	0	4	24	11.5
vs. SYR*	36	2-8	2-4	2-2	1-6-7	2	3	2	0	2	8	11.4
vs. NC STATE*	29	2-6	1-3	0-0	1-6-7	1	3	0	0	0	5	11.2
vs. MARIST*	27	7-11	2-5	1-1	0-1-1	1	4	2	1	1	17	11.4
vs. NW*	30	4-4	2-2	3-3	0-0-0	3	1	4	0	1	13	11.4
vs. OREGON*	31	4-9	0-3	0-0	2-5-7	0	1	1	0	2	8	11.3
vs. STANFORD*	39	3-10	1-4	0-0	0-3-3	1	1	1	0	1	7	11.2

Freshman Year (2020-21)

- One of 20 top collegiate athletes, including 10 who have captured a combined 21 gold medals competing on past USA Basketball teams to participate in the 2021 USA Basketball Women's AmeriCup Team trials on April 18-21
- One of two players, joined by Dana Evans, to start all 30 games
- Ranked second on the team with 30.2 minutes and 1.2 steals per game, third with 11.2 points and 5.2 rebounds and fourth with 2.1 assists. Shot 49-128 (.383) from 3-point range and 44-53 (.830) from the free throw line
- Named to ACC All-Tournament First Team
- Named to 2020-21 ACC All-Freshman Team
- Named to All-ACC Academic Team
- Named to Lieberman Award Top 10 List
- Ranked in top six among ACC freshmen in points per game, 3-point field goals, steals, assists and rebounds
- Twice named ACC Freshman of the Week this season. She earned the honor after averaging 11.3 points, 7.0 rebounds, 2.3 assists and 1.7 steals, while shooting a perfect 10-10 from the free throw line to help the No. 2 Cardinals get wins over UT Martin, Virginia Tech and Clemson. She was also named ACC FOW after averaging 16.5 points and 9.5 rebounds, and shooting 52 percent from the floor and 6-12 from deep, in her first two games at UoL. She is the first UoL women's basketball player to earn ACC Freshman of the Week honors since Asia Durr did so on Feb. 1, 2016.
- One of two players, joined by Dana Evans, to start all 30 games
- Reached double figures in 18 of 30 games, including a season-high six game streak to begin her career
- Made at least one 3-pointer in 21 of 30 games
- Recorded a team high seven rebounds in addition to eight points and two steals in the Sweet 16 vs. Oregon
- Scored 13 points, converting on all of her attempts from the field in the 2nd round of the NCAA Tournament vs. Northwestern
- Led all scorers with 17 points on 7-11 from the field, in addition to a team-high four assists in the first round of the NCAA Tournament vs. Marist
- Contributed eight points, seven rebounds, three assists and two steals in the ACC Semifinals vs. SYR on 3/6
- Recorded season-highs in minutes (39), points (24), field goals made (9), and steals (4) in the ACC Quarters vs. WF on 3/5
- Recorded 10 points, four rebounds, two assists and two steals in the regular season finale at Notre Dame on 2/21
- Recorded eight rebounds, five points and two assists at Florida State on 2/21
- Scored 13 points, her 14th game in double figures this season, in addition to six rebounds and a season-high four assists at Pittsburgh on 2/18
- Recorded 15 points on 6-12 from the field, adding three assists and three rebounds at Boston College on 2/4
- Scored 11 points on 4-11 from the field and tied a season-high four assists vs. North Carolina on 1/28
- She had 18 points on 6-11 3-point shooting, while pulling down a team-high eight rebounds against Syracuse on 1/21. Her six made 3-pointers are the most by a UoL freshman since Mariya Moore made six 3-pointers (6-9) in a 69-56 win over Ball State on Nov. 23, 2014.
- Had 15 points on 6-9 shooting, 3-5 from deep, with four rebounds and three assists in win over FSU on 1/17
- Led the team with a season-high four assists, in addition to 13 points and five rebounds, in a win vs. Boston College on 1/14.
- Recorded a team-high nine rebounds in a win vs. Clemson on 1/10
- Led the team in rebounds and assists, in addition to 15 points, in a win at Virginia Tech on 1/7
- With 21 points vs. DePaul she became first UoL freshman with back-to-back 20-point games since Myisha Hines-Allen had 23 points in two straight games against Miami and Syracuse on 1/25-29/15
- Scored a team-high 21 points on 8-11 shooting, 3-5 from behind the arc, vs. DePaul on 12/4
- Recorded a team-high 20 points and 11 rebounds, while shooting 5-9 from deep, in win over EKU on 11/29. Became the first UoL freshman to score 20 points in a game since Asia Durr scored 23 in an 80-75 loss to Syracuse in ACC Tournament semis on March 5, 2016. Durr had four 20-point games that season
- Scored 13 points and grabbed a team-high 8 rebounds in 28 minutes in collegiate debut at SEMO on 11/25
- Named to Preseason ACC Newcomer Watch List
- Named to Naismith Trophy Watch List

High School

- Named a 2020 McDonald's All-American
- One of five players named 2020 to the Jersey Mike's Naismith National High School All-American First Team
- Named 2020 Naismith Trophy Player of the Year Finalist
- Named 2020 Gatorade and MaxPreps Player of the Year in the state of Washington
- Also named USA Today All-USA first team, All-USA Washington first team (2019), Naismith High School All-America honorable mention (2019), Washington Interscholastic Activities Association Class 1A MVP (2018, 2019), Washington State Class 1A Player of the Year (2018, 2019) and WIAA All-State Class 1A first team (2017, 2018, 2019)
- Ranked as the No. 2 prospect in the nation by Prospect Nation and No. 7 overall by espnW HoopGurlz
- As a senior, helped lead Cashmere High School to a 24-1 record and a trip to the WIAA 2020 Girls Basketball Hardwood Classic 1A championship game. She averaged 33.8 points, 9.5 rebounds and 4.7 assists per game
- A member of the U19 USA squad that won a gold medal in the 2019 FIBA World Cup. She has been a part of four USA gold medal teams (2019 FIBA U19 World Cup, 2019 FIBA 3x3 U18 World Cup, 2018 Youth Olympic Games, 2018 FIBA U17 World Cup)
- Named 2019 FIBA 3x3 U18 World Cup MVP and 2018 USA Basketball 3x3 U18 National Championship MVP. She competed alongside Olivia Cochran in leading the USA to gold at the 2019 FIBA 3x3 U18 World Cup in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia and scored a tournament sixth-best 36 points over seven games
- As a junior, she helped lead Cashmere to a 23-3 record and the Washington Class 1-A state semifinals. She averaged 34.4 points, 8.3 rebounds, 5.2 steals and 4.9 assists a game. She scored more than 2,000 points after her junior season and set every major statistics record at Cashmere with one year to play, including single-game records for points (52) and 3-point field goals made (12)
- Picked Louisville over Baylor

Personal

- Born on September 9, 2001
- Daughter of Corey and Jessica Van Lith, has one brother Tanner
- Majoring in business

HAILEY VAN LITH CAREER STATISTICS																
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring			
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fa	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to
2020-21	30-30	905/30.2	121-282	.429	49-128	.383	44-53	.830	37	118	155	5.2	57	0	63	52
TOTAL	30-30	905/30.2	121-282	.429	49-128	.383	44-53	.830	37	118	155	5.2	57	0	63	52



11 NORIKA KONNO

Guard | 5-10 | Junior
Sendai, Japan | Seiwa

2020-21 SEASON HIGHS		CAREER HIGHS		MISC STATS		Season	Career
Points.....	11 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)	Points.....	11 vs. UTC (11/21), vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)	Double-Doubles.....		0	0
Reb.....	7 at BC (2/4/21)	Reb.....	7 at BC (2/4/21)	10-Plus Points.....		3	4
Asst.....	4 vs. NKU (1/1/21)	Asst.....	6 vs. BSU (11/24)	20-Plus Points.....		0	0
Blocks.....	3 vs. DePaul (12/4/20)	Blocks.....	3 vs. DePaul (12/4/20)	30-Plus Points.....		0	0
Steals.....	6 vs. Marist (3/22/21)	Steals.....	6 vs. Marist (3/22/21)	Team-High Points.....		0	0
FGM.....	4 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21), vs. Syracuse (3/6/21)	FGM.....	4 (five times) latest vs. Syracuse (3/6/21)	10-Plus Rebounds.....		0	0
FGA.....	6 (four times), latest vs. Marist (3/22/21)	FGA.....	9 vs. UTC (11/21)	Team-High Rebounds.....		0	0
3FGM.....	2, (three times) latest vs. Syracuse (3/6/21)	3FGM.....	2, (three times) latest vs. Syracuse (3/6/21)	10-Plus Assists.....		0	0
3FGA.....	3, (three times) latest vs. Syracuse (3/6/21)	3FGA.....	4 vs. Murray St (11/8), vs. UTC (11/21)	Team-High Assists.....		1	3
FT.....	2, (five times) latest vs. Marist (3/22/21)	FT.....	3, (two times) latest vs. BSU (11/24)				
FTA.....	3 at SEMO (11/25/20)	FTA.....	4, (two times) latest vs. BSU (11/24)				
Minutes.....	25 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)	Minutes.....	28 at OSU (12/5)				

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME																			
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG							
at SEMO	14	2-3	1-1	1-3	3-1-4	0	0	2	2	1	6	6.0							
EKU	12	2-5	0-2	2-2	0-0-0	2	3	1	0	1	6	6.0							
vs. DEPAUL	16	1-6	0-1	0-0	1-1-2	1	2	2	3	3	2	4.7							
UTM	18	3-6	1-2	2-2	0-3-3	0	0	1	0	0	9	5.8							
at DUKE	6	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	1	0	0	0	2	5.0							
NKU	13	0-1	0-1	1-2	2-0-2	1	4	1	1	0	1	4.3							
BELL	25	4-5	1-2	2-2	0-1-1	2	3	1	0	1	11	5.3							
UTM	20	2-6	1-2	0-0	3-1-4	1	3	0	0	2	5	5.3							
at VT	9	2-3	2-3	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	6	5.3							
CLEMSON	17	2-3	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	2	1	2	0	0	4	5.2							
BC	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1-2	1	1	3	0	0	0	4.7							
FSU	13	0-3	0-1	0-0	0-2-2	1	2	1	0	0	0	4.3							
SYR	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.0							
at WAKE	14	2-2	1-1	0-0	1-0-1	1	0	0	0	1	5	4.1							
MIAMI	11	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3.8							
UNC	7	1-2	0-1	0-0	0-1-1	2	0	0	0	0	2	3.7							
NC STATE	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.5							
at BC	21	3-4	2-3	2-2	4-3-7	2	3	1	0	0	10	3.8							
ND	12	1-2	0-1	0-0	1-1-2	0	1	0	0	1	2	3.7							
GT	1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.6							
at PITT	12	1-3	0-2	0-0	0-0-0	1	0	1	0	0	2	3.5							
at FSU	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	2	0	1	0	0	0	3.3							
at ND	8	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-1-1	0	0	1	1	0	0	3.2							
vs. WAKE	8	1-2	0-1	0-0	0-0-0	2	0	0	0	0	2	3.1							
vs. SYR	11	4-5	2-3	0-0	1-0-1	0	0	0	0	0	10	3.4							
vs. NC STATE	20	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	2	0	1	4	3.4							
vs. MARIST	18	1-6	1-4	2-2	0-3-3	3	1	1	0	6	5	3.5							
vs. NW	9	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0-0	1	1	2	0	0	0	3.4							
vs. OREGON	15	1-1	0-0	0-0	2-0-2	1	1	1	0	0	2	3.3							
vs. STANFORD	7	2-2	1-1	0-0	0-0-0	1	0	1	0	0	5	3.4							

Sophomore Year (2020-21)

- Played in all 30 games, averaging 12.1 minutes, 3.4 points and 1.4 rebounds, while shooting 48.1 percent from the floor
- Contributed five points, three rebounds, and a career-high six steals, doubling her previous career-high, in the first round of the NCAA Tournament vs. Marist
- Provided valuable minutes off the bench, recording 10 points on 4-5 shooting, 2-3 from deep, in only 11 minutes in the ACC Semifinals vs. Syracuse on 3/6
- Set a career-high with seven rebounds, in addition to ten points and three assists, in a win over Boston College on 2/4
- Scored five points and secured a crucial late-game offensive rebound in a win over Wake Forest on 1/24
- Recorded a career-high two threes in a win over Virginia Tech on 1/7
- Tied career-high with eleven points on 4-5 from the field in a win vs. Bellarmine on 1/2
- Dished out a season-high four assists in a win vs. NKU on 1/1
- Recorded nine points and three rebounds in 18 minutes vs. UTM on 12/6
- Recorded six points, four rebounds, and two blocks in season opener at SEMO on 11/25

Freshman Year (2019-20)

- Played in 16 games, averaging 4.6 points, 1.9 assists 1.6 rebounds
- Missed the last 14 games with a knee injury
- Scored nine points, all in the fourth quarter, on 4-7 shooting, while adding three assists at Miami
- Played pivotal minutes after Jazmine Jones got in foul trouble and finished with six points on 3-4 shooting in 72-62 win over Oregon
- Career-high 11 points and team-high four assists vs. Chattanooga on 11/21
- Led the team with five assists, while adding four points and four rebounds against Murray State on 11/8
- Scored nine points in her collegiate debut against WKU

High School

- The 5-foot-10 shooting guard from Seiwa High School in Sendai, Japan, has an impressive resume of international experience
- Was a member of the U18 and U19 Japanese National Team
- Helped the 2018 team win a silver medal at the U18 Women's Asian Championships. She recorded 10-plus points in four of five games, including 19 points on 8-of-12 shooting, vs. China. She finished the tournament averaging 13.0 points, 4.0 rebounds and 2.5 assists per game
- Helped the 2019 team to a trip to the quarterfinals at the U19 World Cup. She recorded 10-plus points in three of six games, averaging 8.3 points, 3.7 rebounds and 1.9 assists
- She was also a member of the 3-on-3 team from Japan that won a silver medal in the 2018 Asian Games. In her best game during the tournament, she had 28 points, nine rebounds, three assists and three steals

Personal

- Born on May 1, 2000.
- Daughter of Koji and Kaoru Konno; has two sisters (Yuki, Saki).
- Major is undecided.

NORIKA KONNO CAREER STATISTICS																				
Season			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
	gp-gs	min/avg	fq-fga	pct	fq-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2019-20	16-0	242/15.1	29-71	.408	3-24	.125	12-14	.857	13	13	26	1.6	18	0	30	21	1	3	73	4.6
2020-21	30-0	364/12.1	38-79	.481	13-37	.351	12-15	.800	19	22	41	1.4	27	0	27	26	7	17	101	3.4
TOTAL	46-0	606/13.2	67-150	.447	16-61	.262	24-29	.828	32	35	67	1.5	45	0	57	47	8	20	174	3.8



Guard | 6-1 | Freshman
De Soto, Kan. | Bishop Miege

SEASON HIGHS	MISC STATS	Season	Career
Points.....	Double-Doubles.....		
Reb.....	10-Plus Points.....		
Asst.....	20-Plus Points.....		
Blocks.....	30-Plus Points.....		
Steals.....	Team-High Points.....		
FGM.....	10-Plus Rebounds.....		
FGA.....	Team-High Rebounds.....		
3FGM.....	10-Plus Assists.....		
3FGA.....	Team-High Assists.....		
FT.....			
FT.....			
Minutes.....			

2021-22 GAME-BY-GAME											
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
vs. Arizona											
BELLARMINE											
UT MARTIN											
at Washington											
at Cal Poly											
at Colorado St											
MICHIGAN											
BELMONT											
KENTUCKY											
EKU											
vs. UConn											
BC											
at Georgia Tech											
PITT											
at Miami											
SYRACUSE											
at BC											
at NC ST											
WAKE FOREST											
FSU											
DUKE											
at Clemson											
at Syracuse											
VIRGINIA											
NOTRE DAME											
at UNC											
VIRGINIA TECH											
at Pitt											
at Notre Dame											

- Helped USA Basketball Women's U19 World Cup Team win gold with a 70-52 win over Australia in the championship game at the 2021 FIBA U19 World Cup in Debrecen, Hungary, contributed three points, six rebounds and two assists in the 70-52 win over Australia in the final
- Represented Louisville alongside Elizabeth Dixon, Mykasa Robinson and Kianna Smith at the 2021 Red Bull USA Basketball 3x3 Nationals in Springfield, Mass., finished with a 3-2 overall record and reached the semifinals

- Five-star prospect and is ranked as high as No. 8 overall by PASS and No. 9 by Collegiate Girls Basketball Report
- ESPNW Hoop Guriz ranked her No. 12 overall and as the fourth best guard. Prospect Nation listed her as the 10th best player and fifth best guard
- Named USA Today National Female Athlete of the Year, was one of three finalists for the award, which was unveiled during the USA Today High School Sports Awards Show. The show was hosted by Michael Strahan, the Pro Football Hall of Famer and host of Good Morning America, and Rob Gronkowski, the four-time Super Bowl Champion
- Named Kansas' Girls Basketball Player of the Year and overall Female Athlete of the Year
- A three-time Eastern Kansas League MVP, three-time first-team All-State Top 5 by The Capital-Journal and Gatorade Kansas Girls Basketball Player of the Year.
- Named a 2021 McDonald's All-American and to Jordan Brand Classic
- Named a 2021 Jersey Mike's Naismith National High School Second Team All-American, which places her among the top 10 high school players in the country
- Named 2021 Kansas Player of the Year by MaxPreps.com
- As a senior, Verhulst led Bishop Miege to a 23-1 record and a Kansas Class 4-A state championship, while averaging 20.0 points, 7.5 rebounds, 3.8 steals, 3.6 assists, and 3.5 blocks a game
- Named the 2020 Kansas Gatorade Player of the Year and a Naismith Trophy All-American
- First Team All-state following her freshman, sophomore, junior and senior campaigns
- As a junior, she started every game and averaged 17.8 points, 7.0 rebounds, 3.7 assists and 2.5 steals per game while leading Bishop Miege to a 21-2 overall record
- During her freshman and sophomore seasons, she helped lead Bishop Miege to a combined 49-1 record, winning the state title as a sophomore and reaching the state title game as a freshman. She averaged 17.0 points, 7.0 rebounds, 6.0 assists, 4.0 steals and 3.0 blocks as a sophomore, and 13.0 points, 6.0 rebounds, 3.0 rebounds, 2.0 steals and 1.0 blocks as a freshman
- Named 2019 FIBA Americas U16 Championship MVP after leading the team to a 6-0 record and a gold medal in Puerto Aysen, Chile. She started all six games and averaged 14.5 points and 2.8 rebounds
- Also participated in the 2019 USA Basketball 3x3 U18 National Championship at the United States Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs, Colo. Her Blue Star 30 Stars team finished in fourth place with a 5-2 record
- Took part in trials for the 2018 USA U17 World Cup Team

- Born on June 1, 2003
- Daughter of Robin and David, has five brothers and sisters - Quinton, Dalton, Ashton, Kirston, Addiston
- Majoring in Education/Special Education
- Mother (Robin) played basketball at Duke, father (David) played basketball at Rockhurst, brother Quinton played basketball at St. Mary's, brother Dalton played basketball at Friends University (Kan.), sister Ashton is currently playing basketball at UCF

PAYTON VERHULST CAREER STATISTICS



13 MERISSAH RUSSELL

Guard | 5-11 | Sophomore
Ottawa, Ontario | Cairine Wilson

SEASON HIGHS		CAREER HIGHS		MISC STATS		Season	Career
Points.....		Points.....	8 at SEMO (11/25/20), vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)	Double-Doubles.....		0	0
Reb.....		Reb.....	7 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)	10-Plus Points.....		0	0
Asst.....		Asst.....	3 vs. DePaul (12/4/20)	20-Plus Points.....		0	0
Blocks.....		Blocks.....	1 vs. DePaul (12/4/20)	30-Plus Points.....		0	0
Steals.....		Steals.....	2 vs. EKU (11/29/20)	Team-High Points.....		0	0
FGM.....		FGM.....	3 at SEMO (11/25), vs. UTM (12/6)	10-Plus Rebounds.....		0	0
FGA.....		FGA.....	10 vs. EKU (11/29/20)	Team-High Rebounds.....		0	0
3FGM.....		3FGM.....	1 at Virginia Tech (1/7/21)	10-Plus Assists.....		0	0
3FGA.....		3FGA.....	4 vs. EKU (11/29/20)	Team-High Assists.....		0	0
FT.....		FT.....	4 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)				
FT.....		FTA.....	5 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21)				
Minutes.....		Minutes.....	19 at SEMO (11/25/20)				

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME														
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG		
at SEMO	19	3-4	0-1	2-3	4-1-5	1	1	0	0	1	8	8.0		
EKU	15	2-10	0-4	0-0	2-2-4	3	1	1	0	2	4	6.0		
vs. DEPAUL	13	0-1	0-0	1-2	1-4-5	3	3	2	1	0	1	4.3		
UTM	11	3-3	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	4	1	2	0	0	6	4.8		
at DUKE	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3.8		
NKU	6	0-2	0-0	1-2	1-1-2	1	0	1	0	0	1	3.3		
BELL	16	2-6	0-0	4-5	3-4-7	0	1	1	0	0	8	4.0		
UTM	6	2-3	0-0	0-0	1-1-2	1	0	0	0	0	4	4.0		
at VT	3	1-2	1-1	0-0	0-0-0	1	0	0	0	0	3	3.9		
CLEMSON	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3.5		
BC	9	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-3-3	2	0	2	0	0	2	3.4		
FSU	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-2-3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.1		
SYR														
at WAKE														
MIAMI														
UNC	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.8		
NC STATE														
at BC	12	2-3	0-0	2-3	1-4-5	1	0	0	0	0	6	3.1		
ND														
GT	0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.9		
at PITT	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2.7		
at FSU														
at ND	0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.5		
vs. WAKE	1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.4		
vs. SYR														
vs. NC STATE														
vs. MARIST	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-2-3	0	0	1	0	0	0	2.3		
vs. NW														
vs. OREGON	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.2		
vs. STANFORD														

- Canadian National Team (2021)**
- Named an alternate on Canada's women's basketball team that competed at the Tokyo Olympic Games, but did not travel
 - In mid-June, competed for Canada at the FIBA Women's AmeriCup in San Juan, Puerto Rico. She helped lead Canada to a perfect 4-0 record in pool play and a trip to the semifinals. In the win over El Salvador, she had nine points on 3-of-5 shooting from deep, while adding two steals. She had six points on 2-of-4 shooting from beyond the arc in a win over the U.S. Virgin Islands
- Freshman Year (2020-21)**
- Played in 20 games, averaging 2.2 points and 2.2 rebounds
 - Recorded six points and five rebounds in 12 minutes at Boston College on 2/4
 - Converted on her first collegiate three point field goal in a win at Virginia Tech on 1/7
 - Tied a season-high eight points, highlighted by 4-5 from the free throw line, in a win vs. Bellarmine on 1/2
 - Scored eight points on 3-4 from the field, adding five rebounds and one assist in 19 minutes in her collegiate debut at SEMO on 11/25
- High School**
- Ranked as the 29th best guard by ESPNW. She is listed as a four-star prospect by Prospects Nation and is rated No. 54 overall by PASS Scouting Service
 - Played for Canada's U19 team at the 2019 FIBA Women's Basketball World Cup in Bangkok, Thailand. She helped lead Canada to the quarterfinals, where they fell to eventual champion USA and head coach Jeff Walz. She finished the tournament averaging 6.4 points, 4.0 rebounds and 1.3 assists
 - Also a member of Canada's Senior National team and participated as the youngest player on the roster in a five-game European exhibition tour in Belgium and Great Britain
 - Was named the MVP of the first ever BioSteele All Canadian Girls Game in April, the Canadian version of the McDonald's All-American game. She finished with 30 points, 10 rebounds and three steals in that game which featured the top 24 female high school players in Canada
- Personal**
- Born on March 3, 2002
 - Daughter of Natalie and Tony Russell, has one sister, Maiyah
 - Majoring in Exercise Science

MERISSAH RUSSELL CAREER STATISTICS																				
			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2020-21	20-0	135/6.8	16-36	.444	1-6	.167	10-15	.667	15	29	44	2.2	18	0	8	10	1	4	43	2.2
TOTAL	20-0	135/6.8	16-36	.444	1-6	.167	10-15	.667	15	29	44	2.2	18	0	8	10	1	4	43	2.2



14 KIANNA SMITH

Guard | 6-0 | Redshirt-Senior
Moreno Valley, Calif. | California / Troy

2020-21 SEASON HIGHS			CAREER HIGHS			MISC STATS			Season	Career
Points.....	21	vs. DePaul (12/4/20), vs. GT (2/11/21)	Points	21	vs. DePaul (12/4/20), vs. GT (2/11/21)	Double-Doubles.....	1	1/2		
Reb.....	10	vs. NKU (1/1/21)	Reb.	10	vs. NKU (1/1/21)	10-Plus Points	19	19/43		
Asst.....	6	vs. DePaul (12/4/20), vs. Clemson (1/10/21)	Asst.	12	vs. Manhattan (11/24/17)*	20-Plus Points	2	2/4		
Blocks.....	2	(three times) latest vs. Notre Dame (2/7/21)	Blocks	3	vs. Arizona State (2/22/19)*	30-Plus Points	0	0/0		
Steals.....	5	vs. Notre Dame (2/7/21)	Steals	5	vs. Notre Dame (2/7/21)	Team-High Points.....	3	3/5		
FGM.....	9	vs. DePaul (12/4/20), vs. GT (2/11/21)	FGM	9	(four times) latest vs. GT (2/11/21)	10-Plus Rebounds.....	1	1/1		
FGA.....	15	vs. NC State (3/7/21)	FGA	15	vs. NCST (3/7/21), vs. Harvard (12/30/18)*	Team-High Rebounds	1	1/1		
3FGM.....	4	vs. FSU (1/17/21), vs. Notre Dame (2/7/21)	3FGM	5	vs. Oregon (2/8/19)*	10-Plus Assists.....	0	0/2		
3FGA.....	8	vs. FSU (1/17/21), vs. Notre Dame (2/7/21)	3FGA	9	at Washington State (3/3/19)*	Team-High Assists	4	4/28		
FT.....	4	vs. Northwestern (3/24/21)	FT	4	(four times) latest vs. Northwestern (3/24/21)					
FTA.....	4	vs. Northwestern (3/24/21)	FTA	4	(four times) latest vs. Northwestern (3/24/21)					
Minutes.....	38	vs. GT (2/11/21), vs. NCST (3/7/21)	Minutes	40	(four times) latest vs. Baylor (3/25/19)					

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME																			
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG							
at SEMO													DNP						
EKU													DNP						
vs. DEPAUL	22	9-14	3-7	0-0	1-5-6	2	6	1	1	2	21	21.0							
UTM	18	4-9	2-4	0-0	0-1-1	4	0	0	0	0	10	15.5							
at DUKE*	30	6-11	3-5	0-0	0-3-3	1	0	1	0	2	15	15.3							
NKU*	26	5-13	0-6	1-2	1-9-10	2	1	0	2	2	11	14.3							
BELL*	16	4-7	2-4	1-1	3-2-5	2	2	0	0	0	11	13.6							
UTM*	22	5-8	3-4	1-2	2-3-5	1	1	2	0	2	14	13.7							
at VT*	25	2-9	1-5	0-0	0-2-2	5	2	2	1	0	5	12.4							
CLEMSON*	34	6-14	2-6	3-3	0-2-2	1	6	1	2	0	17	13.0							
BC*	29	5-10	3-7	0-0	1-1-2	2	2	0	0	1	13	13.0							
FSU	29	6-11	4-8	0-0	0-5-5	4	6	1	0	2	16	13.3							
SYR	25	2-5	2-4	2-2	1-3-4	1	2	0	0	0	8	12.8							
at WAKE	21	0-5	0-4	0-0	0-1-1	0	0	1	0	0	0	11.8							
MIAMI	27	2-8	2-5	2-2	1-4-5	2	0	2	0	1	8	11.5							
UNC	25	5-10	3-6	0-0	3-1-4	0	0	2	1	1	13	11.6							
NC STATE*	30	3-11	2-6	0-0	0-2-2	2	1	1	0	0	8	11.3							
at BC*	23	6-9	2-4	0-1	0-2-2	0	1	2	0	1	14	11.5							
ND*	31	6-13	4-8	0-0	1-3-4	2	1	1	2	5	16	11.8							
GT*	38	9-13	3-6	0-0	1-2-3	5	5	0	0	3	21	12.3							
at PITT*	23	2-8	0-5	0-0	1-4-5	1	3	2	0	0	4	11.8							
at FSU*	35	3-9	2-6	2-2	1-3-4	4	3	1	0	0	10	11.8							
at ND	32	4-8	2-5	0-0	1-4-5	1	5	2	0	0	10	11.7							
vs. WAKE*	18	3-8	0-2	0-0	0-1-1	4	2	0	0	0	6	11.4							
vs. SYR*	32	5-13	1-6	0-0	0-0-0	2	2	1	0	1	11	11.4							
vs. NC STATE*	38	6-15	1-5	0-1	3-1-4	1	2	2	0	1	13	11.5							
vs. MARIST*	24	3-7	3-5	0-0	1-4-5	3	1	2	0	1	9	11.4							
vs. NW*	32	5-10	2-5	4-4	1-5-6	1	2	2	0	0	16	11.5							
vs. OREGON*	31	5-10	1-2	0-0	2-3-5	1	0	1	0	0	11	11.5							
vs. STANFORD*	36	3-11	2-5	0-0	2-5-7	1	3	1	1	0	8	11.4							

Redshirt Junior Year (2020-21)

- Played in 28 games with 20 starts, ranked second on the team with 11.4 points and third with 2.2 assists per game. Shot 44 percent from the floor, 55-145 (.379) from 3-point range and 16-20 (.800) from the free throw line
- Named to ACC All-Tournament First Team
- Named to All-ACC Academic Team
- Ranked 8th in ACC with 55 made 3-point field goals
- In ACC games, ranked sixth in league with 38.9 3-point percentage and 11th in 3-point field goals made per game (2.19 avg/g)
- Reached double figures in 19 of 28 games, including a season-best six-game streak to open the season
- Made at least one 3-pointer in 24 of 28 games, including 20 games with at least two 3-point makes and nine with at least three 3-pointers
- Named College Sports Madness ACC Player of the Week on Jan. 18, 2021 after averaging 14.5 points per game, while shooting 52 percent from the floor and 7-15 from beyond the arc in the victories over the Eagles and Seminoles. She added 4.0 assists, 3.5 rebounds and 1.5 steals per game, while committing just one turnover in 59 minutes of action
- Recorded a team-high three assists in addition to eight points and seven rebounds in the Elite 8 vs. Stanford
- Posted 11 points on 5-10 from the field and five rebounds in the Sweet 16 vs. Oregon
- Recorded 16 points, six rebounds, and two assists in the second round of the NCAA Tournament vs. Northwestern
- Contributed nine points and five rebounds in the opening round of the NCAA Tournament vs. Marist
- Finished in double figures for the 16th time this season with 11 points in the ACC Semifinals vs. Syracuse on 3/6
- Recorded 10 points in the regular-season finale vs. Notre Dame on 2/28
- Tied a career-high 21 points on 9-13 from the field, 3-6 from three, in addition to five assists, three rebounds, three steals, and no turnovers in a season-high 38 minutes against Georgia Tech on 2/11
- Scored 18 points on 6-13 from the field, including 4-8 from three, and recorded a career-high five steals in a win vs. Notre Dame on 2/7.
- Recorded 14 points on 6-9 from the field at Boston College on 2/4
- Posted 13 points, on 3-6 from behind the arc, and four rebounds off the bench vs. North Carolina on 1/28
- Converted on a career-high four threes, recording 16 points, six assists and five rebounds in a win vs. FSU on 1/17
- Scored 17 points on 6-14 shooting and dished out a team-high six assists vs. Clemson on 1/10
- Recorded her first career double-double with 11 points and 10 rebounds vs. NKU on 1/1
- Recorded 15 points on 6-11 shooting and 3-5 from three in her first Louisville start in a win at Duke on 12/9
- Scored a team-high 21 points on 9-14 shooting and 3-7 from behind the arc, adding six rebounds and six steals in her Louisville debut vs. DePaul on 12/4
- Named to Preseason ACC Newcomer Watch List

Junior Year (2019-20)

- Sat out 2019-20 season due to NCAA transfer rules

California - Sophomore Year (2018-19)

- In two seasons at Cal she scored 600 points, knocked down 91 3-pointers and dished out 244 assists, while helping the Bears to two 20-win seasons and two trips to the NCAA Tournament
- Was named Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention for her strong performance on the court and in the classroom
- In addition to putting up a 3.29 cumulative GPA, she started all 33 games for the Bears, while averaging a career-high 9.8 points per game
- Finished with 14 double-figure scoring games and matched a career-high with 20 points, while shooting 5-6 from 3-point range against Oregon
- Led the team with 18 points on 7-13 shooting, 2-4 from deep, in California's second round loss in the NCAA Tournament to eventual national champion Baylor
- Connected on at least one 3-pointer in 28 of 33 games, while shooting a career-best 35 percent from downtown and knocking down a career-best 55 threes

California - Freshman Year (2017-18)

- Named to the Pac-12 All-Freshman Team after playing in all 32 games, making 31 starts
- Finished fourth on the team in scoring at 8.6 points per game while leading the team with 4.8 assists per game
- Scored a career-high 20 points against Virginia in the First Round of the 2018 NCAA Tournament, going 9-14 from the floor while adding eight assists
- Ranked seventh in the Pac-12 in assists per game while leading all conference freshmen in the category
- Finished the year ranked third among all freshman in Division I with 4.8 assists per game and ranked fifth among all Division I freshmen with a 2.05 assist-to-turnover ratio
- Scored double-figures in four of Cal's final six games of the season, also adding 38 assists and just 13 turnovers over that same span.
- Named Pac-12 and USBWA National Freshman of the week after scoring 14 points and adding 8 assists in Cal's win over Kentucky while committing just 1 turnover
- Dished out a career-high 12 assists in Cal's win over Manhattan, while shooting 4-5 from beyond the arc and scoring a then career-best 17 points for her first collegiate double-double
- Scored 16 points in Cal's upset over No. 14 Stanford, going 7-11 from the floor and adding a career-best three steals

Personal

- Born on June 10, 1999
- Daughter of John and Kelly Smith; one brother (John) and one sister (Kelly)
- Majoring in business
- Dad, John, is the head men's basketball coach at Cal Poly, and played at UNLV (1987-89) under head coach Jerry Tarkanian
- Brother, Jamal, played basketball at Cal State Fullerton
- Grandfather, Fred "Lucky" Smith, played for the Milwaukee Bucks

KIANNA SMITH CAREER STATISTICS

			Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds											Scoring	
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fa	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
2017-18*	32-31	1017/31.8	108-280	.386	36-113	.319	24-35	.686	14	73	87	2.7	66	0	152	74	6	24	276	8.6	
2018-19*	33-33	1113/33.7	125-313	.399	55-157	.350	19-29	.655	20	59	79	2.4	72	1	92	55	15	20	324	9.8	
2020-21	28-20	777/27.8	124-279	.444	55-145	.379	16-20	.800	27	81	108	3.9	55	2	61	31	10	25	319	11.4	
TOTAL	28-20	777/27.8	124-279	.444	55-145	.379	16-20	.800	27	81	108	3.9	55	2	61	31	10	25	319	11.4	
All*	93-84	2907/31.3	357-872	.409	146-415	.352	59-84	.702	61	213	274	2.9	193	3	305	160	31	69	919	9.9	

* at Cal



21 EMILY ENGSTLER

Forward | 6-1 | Senior
New York, N.Y. | Syracuse / St. Francis Prep

SEASON HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
Points.....	Points 22 vs. Notre Dame (1/5/20)*
Reb.....	Reb. 17 vs. Michigan State (12/20/19)*
Asst.....	Asst. 6, (3x) most recent vs. Louisville (2/9/20)*
Blocks.....	Blocks 5 at Michigan (12/5/19)*
Steals.....	Steals 6 vs. South Dakota St. (3/21/21)*
FGM.....	FGM 10 vs. Notre Dame (1/5/20)*
FGA.....	FGA..... 18 vs. Notre Dame (1/5/20)*
3FGM.....	3FGM 4 at UNC (2/13/20)*, vs. SD St. (3/21/21)*
3FGA.....	3FGA 8 vs. South Dakota St. (3/21/21)*
FT.....	FT 5 vs. Louisville (3/6/21)*
FTA.....	FTA..... 6, (4x) most recent vs. UofL (3/6/21)*
Minutes.....	Min..... 40, (3x) most recent vs. UofL (3/6/21)*

2021-22 GAME-BY-GAME												
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
vs. Arizona												
BELLARMINE												
UT MARTIN												
at Washington												
at Cal Poly												
at Colorado St												
MICHIGAN												
BELMONT												
KENTUCKY												
EKU												
vs. UConn												
BC												
at Georgia Tech												
PITT												
at Miami												
SYRACUSE												
at BC												
at NC ST												
WAKE FOREST												
FSU												
DUKE												
at Clemson												
at Syracuse												
VIRGINIA												
NOTRE DAME												
at UNC												
VIRGINIA TECH												
at Pitt												
at Notre Dame												

USA Basketball (2021)

- Along with Hailey Van Lith, played with the USA 3x3 women's team at the FIBA 3x3 U23 Nations League in Voiron, France, finished with 5-3 record with all losses coming to host France

Syracuse - Junior Year (2020-2021)

- Came off the bench as a junior and was named ACC Co-Sixth Player of the Year
- Nearly averaged a double-double with 10.5 points and 9.1 rebounds per game
- She had 12 double-digit scoring games and seven double-doubles
- Recorded double-double in Syracuse's ACC Tournament semifinal loss to Louisville, finishing with a season-high 21 points, while adding 10 rebounds
- Had 77 made 3-pointers and 120 blocks in her three seasons at Syracuse

Syracuse - Sophomore Year (2019-2020)

- Started in all 31 games, averaged 29.3 minutes, 9 points, 9 rebounds and 2.8 rebounds per game
- Led the team in rebounds with 286 on the season
- Led the team with 50 blocks
- Had nine double-doubles
- Scored 15 points and grabbed 11 rebounds against Maryland Eastern Shore
- Grabbed 10 rebounds and scored 14 points against Albany
- Grabbed 15 rebounds and scored 14 points and tied her career-high in assists (6) against Houston
- Had 16 rebounds and 12 points against Green Bay
- Had a career-high five blocks, tied her career-high with six assists, and scored 10 points and grabbed 14 rebounds at Michigan
- Grabbed a career-high 17 rebounds and scored 13 points against Michigan State
- Scored a career-high 22 points and grabbed 15 rebounds against Notre Dame
- Tied her career-high with four steals, scored 10 points and grabbed 11 rebounds at Virginia
- Tied her career-high in assists (6) against Louisville
- Scored 16 points and grabbed 15 rebounds against North Carolina

Syracuse - Freshman Year (2018-2019)

- Recorded double-digit points in five games
- Scored a career-high 17 points versus Pitt (2/21)
- Averaged 4.9 points per game and 4.5 rebounds per game
- Tallied a personal best 11 rebounds versus Princeton in the Cancun Challenge (11/23)
- Recorded a career-high four assists, four steals, and four blocks versus Niagara (12/17)
- Totaled 25 steals this season, with a career high four versus Kansas State (11/22)
- Ranked second on the team in blocks (35)
- Named to the ACC Preseason Newcomer List

High School

- A five-star recruit, ranked the No. 9 player in the Class of 2018 by espnW HoopGurlz
- 2018 New York State Gatorade Player of the Year
- McDonald's All-American
- Named the No. 2 wing in her class by espnW HoopGurlz
- Averaged 19.4 points, 15.4 rebounds and six blocks per game as a junior
- Scored 900 points in her two years at St. Francis Prep
- Named team MVP her junior and senior year
- 2017 All-New York City Girls Basketball Second Team selection
- Team MVP as a junior and senior

Personal

- Born May 2000 in New York City
- Daughter of Marilyn and William Engstler
- One brother and one sister
- Majorred in communications and rhetorical studies in the College of Visual and Performing Arts at Syracuse

EMILY ENGSTLER CAREER STATISTICS																									
Season	gp-gs		min/avg		Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring					
					fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg						pts	avg				
2018-19*	29	0	414/14.3	59	143	.413	15	59	.254	10	16	26	.625	21	110	131	4.5	52	1	41	60	35	25	143	4.9
2019-20*	31	31	889/28.7	107	285	.375	36	112	.321	27	39	66	.692	63	211	274	8.8	71	2	81	88	50	35	277	8.9
2020-21*	22	5	658/29.9	90	216	.417	26	70	.371	26	49	53	.531	52	149	201	9.1	44	0	41	45	35	39	232	10.5
All*	82	36	1961/23.9	256	644	.398	77	241	.320	63	104	167	.606	136	470	606	7.4	167	3	163	193	120	99	652	8.0



22 LIZ DIXON

Forward | 6-5 | Senior

Memphis, Tenn. | Georgia Tech / Ridgeway

2020-21 SEASON HIGHS		CAREER HIGHS		MISC STATS		Season	Career
Points.....	21 vs. Miami (1/26/21)	Points	22 vs. Duke (1/10/19)*, vs. WF (2/10/19)*	Double-Doubles.....		1	2/6
Reb.....	10 vs. FSU (1/17/21)	Reb.	17 vs. Duke (1/10/19)*	10-Plus Points		11	14/33
Asst.....	2 at Pitt (2/18/21), vs. Marist (3/22/21)	Asst.	4 vs. Duke (1/10/19)*	20-Plus Points		1	1/4
Blocks.....	4 vs. NC State (2/1/21), at FSU (2/21/21)	Blocks	4, (three times) latest at FSU (2/21/21)	30-Plus Points		0	0/0
Steals.....	2 at Wake Forest (1/24/21), vs. Marist (3/22/21)	Steals	4 vs. Alabama State (12/5/18)*	Team-High Points.....		1	1/8
FGM.....	6, (five times) latest at Notre Dame (2/28/21)	FGM	9 vs. Duke (1/10/19)*	10-Plus Rebounds.....		1	2/6
FGA	10 vs. UNC (1/28/21)	FGA	14 vs. Clemson (2/21/19)*	Team-High Rebounds.....		5	7/13
3FGM.....		3FGM		10-Plus Assists.....		0	0/0
3FGA		3FGA		Team-High Assists.....		0	0/0
FT	9 vs. Miami (1/26/21)	FT	9 vs. Pitt (2/7/19)*, vs. Miami (1/26/21)	*at Georgia Tech			
FTA	12 vs. Miami (1/26/21)	FTA.....	12 vs. Miami (1/26/21)				
Minutes.....	28 vs. UNC (1/28/21)	Minutes.....	43 vs. WF (2/10/19)*				

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME															
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG			
at SEMO	13	0-4	0-0	2-3	3-2-5	2	0	0	1	0	2	2.0			
EKU	22	3-6	0-0	0-0	4-4-8	0	0	0	0	1	6	4.0			
vs. DEPAUL	9	6-6	0-0	0-0	2-2-4	1	0	3	1	0	12	6.7			
UTM	15	3-5	0-0	1-2	1-6-7	2	1	0	1	0	7	6.8			
at DUKE	17	2-4	0-0	0-0	0-5-5	0	0	0	3	0	4	6.2			
NKU	16	6-8	0-0	0-0	1-2-3	0	1	1	0	0	12	7.2			
BELL	15	5-6	0-0	4-4	2-4-6	1	0	1	2	1	14	8.1			
UTM	17	1-4	0-0	4-4	3-2-5	3	1	0	1	1	6	7.9			
at VT	22	3-5	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	2	0	4	0	0	6	7.7			
CLEMSON*	19	5-8	0-0	0-0	4-4-8	1	0	1	1	0	10	7.9			
BC	16	3-4	0-0	0-0	2-5-7	1	0	0	1	0	6	7.7			
FSU	17	4-7	0-0	2-2	5-5-10	2	0	0	1	0	10	7.9			
SYR	19	1-3	0-0	0-0	3-5-8	1	1	0	2	1	2	7.5			
at WAKE	18	3-7	0-0	0-0	4-0-4	4	0	1	0	2	6	7.4			
MIAMI	26	6-7	0-0	9-12	5-4-9	4	0	0	0	1	21	8.3			
UNC*	28	5-10	0-0	3-3	2-2-4	2	1	1	1	1	13	8.6			
NC STATE*	26	1-4	0-0	0-0	1-6-7	1	0	0	4	0	2	8.2			
at BC*	25	5-6	0-0	1-2	4-2-6	3	1	3	1	0	11	8.3			
ND*	21	2-7	0-0	0-1	3-3-6	1	0	0	1	0	4	8.1			
GT*	26	4-9	0-0	5-5	3-6-9	2	1	1	3	0	13	8.4			
at PITT*	20	6-8	0-0	0-1	2-3-5	3	2	3	1	1	12	8.5			
at FSU	24	3-5	0-0	2-4	1-4-5	4	0	1	4	0	8	8.5			
at ND	22	6-7	0-0	0-0	1-2-3	1	0	2	1	0	12	8.7			
vs. WAKE	15	3-5	0-0	0-2	4-3-7	3	1	4	0	0	6	8.5			
vs. SYR	18	3-7	0-0	2-2	2-1-3	3	0	1	0	1	8	8.5			
vs. NC STATE	16	2-2	0-0	0-0	1-0-1	4	1	0	0	1	4	8.3			
vs. MARIST	12	1-2	0-0	0-0	2-3-5	3	2	1	2	0	2	8.1			
vs. NW	14	1-4	0-0	0-0	1-4-5	1	0	1	0	0	2	7.9			
vs. OREGON	20	2-8	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	4	0	0	1	1	4	7.8			
vs. STANFORD	10	2-4	0-0	0-0	2-1-3	2	0	0	1	0	4	7.6			

- Junior Year (2020-2021)
- Played in all 30 games with seven starts and ranked second on the team with 5.4 rebounds and 1.1 blocks per game. Also averaged 18.6 minutes and 7.6 points, while shooting 56.4 percent from the floor and 35-47 (.745) from the free throw line
 - Named to All-ACC Academic Team
 - Shot 97-172 (.565) from the floor after shooting just 56-113 (.496) last season. Scoring increased from 4.4 to 7.6 points per game, her rebounds increased from 3.6 to 5.4 rebounds per game and her blocks increased from 0.6 to 1.1 blocks per game
 - In ACC games, ranked seventh in league with 1.5 blocks per game, 10th with 2.5 offensive rebounds per game and 18th with 6.1 rebounds per game
 - Recorded at least one block in 21 of 30 games, including seven multi-block games
 - Provided valuable minutes off the bench, recording six points and seven rebounds in the ACC Quarterfinals vs. Wake Forest on 3/5
 - Posted 12 points on 6-7 from the field to close out the regular season at Notre Dame on 2/28
 - Recorded eight points, and five rebounds and a team-high four blocks at Florida State on 2/21
 - Recorded 12 points, five rebounds and a season-high two assists in only 20 minutes at Pittsburgh on 2/18
 - Scored 13 points on 4-9 from the field, 5-5 from the line, in addition to nine rebounds and three blocks against Georgia Tech on 2/11
 - 11 points on 5-6 from the field, in addition to six rebounds and a block, in her third of six straight starts at Boston College on 2/4
 - Posted seven rebounds and career-high four blocks vs. NC State on 2/1
 - 13 points and four rebounds in a season-high 28 minutes and her second start of the season vs. North Carolina on 1/28
 - Set Louisville-high in points and posted a near double-double with 21 points and nine rebounds vs. Miami
 - Recorded a double-double with 10 points and 10 rebounds in 17 minutes in a win vs. Florida State on 1/17
 - Led the team with seven rebounds, in addition to six points vs. Boston College on 1/14
 - Recorded 10 points and eight rebounds in her first start of the season vs. Clemson on 1/10
 - Posted 14 points on 5-6 from the field in a home win vs. Bellarmine on 1/2
 - Scored 12 points on 6-8 shooting in a home win vs. NKU on 1/1
 - Recorded three blocked shots in 17 minutes at Duke on 12/9
 - Scored seven points and grabbed seven rebounds in 15 minutes vs. UTM on 12/6
 - Scored 12 points on 6-6 shooting while adding four rebounds in just nine minutes vs. DePaul on 12/4
 - Recorded six points and eight rebounds in 22 minutes vs. EKU on 11/29
- Sophomore Year (2019-2020)
- Played in all 32 games with four starts, averaging 4.4 points, 3.6 rebounds, while shooting 49.6 percent from the floor
 - Six points and nine rebounds in 25 minutes vs. Syracuse
 - Had a team-high seven rebounds, while adding six points against Notre Dame on 2/16
 - Seven points on 3-4 shooting and recorded a season-high three blocks at Notre Dame
 - Eight points on 4-4 shooting and two blocks at North Carolina
 - Nine points on 4-5 shooting, while adding five rebounds at Miami
 - 15 points on 6-7 shooting against Boise State
 - In her debut as a Cardinal vs. WKU, had her fifth career double-double with team-high 13 rebounds, while adding 10 points
- Georgia Tech - Freshman Year (2018-19)
- Named to the All-ACC Freshman team and three times was named ACC Freshman of the Week
 - Started all 30 games for the Yellow Jackets and was second on the team and first among ACC freshmen in rebounding with 6.4 per game
 - She ranked third on the team in scoring with 11.0 points per game
 - Seven times she led the team in scoring and six times led the team in rebounds
 - She scored in double figures 19 times and had three 20-plus point scoring games
 - She finished the year with 192 rebounds, which ranks fourth all-time among freshmen in Georgia Tech history
 - Recorded her first career double-double in just her third game with 13 points and 10 rebounds vs. Western Carolina
 - She finished with four double-doubles on the season and against Duke on Jan. 10, she recorded her fourth double-double of the year with a career-high 22 points to go with a personal-best 17 rebounds

Personal

- Born on Sept. 29, 2000
- Daughter of Richard & Elizabeth Dixon; has three brothers - Richard, David, Josh, and one sister - Kim
- Majoring in business

LIZ DIXON CAREER STATISTICS																			
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts avg
2018-19*	30-30	768/25.6	130-254	.512	0-0	.000	70-98	.714	103	89	192	6.4	78	4	25	77	33	18	330 11.0
2019-20	32-4	461/14.4	56-113	.496	0-1	.000	29-45	.644	61	54	115	3.6	53	0	9	32	21	8	141 4.4
2020-21	30-7	558/18.6	97-172	.564	0-0	.000	35-47	.745	68	94	162	5.4	61	0	13	29	34	12	229 7.6
TOTAL	62-11	1019/16.4	153-285	.537	0-1	.000	64-92	.696	129	148	277	4.5	114	0	22	61	55	20	370 6.0
All*	92-41	1787/19.4	283-539	.525	0-1	.000	134-190	.705	232	237	469	5.1	192	4	47	138	88	38	700 7.6

* at Georgia Tech



23 CHELSIE HALL

Guard | 5-7 | Graduate

Boca Raton, Fla. | Vanderbilt / Seffner Christian

SEASON HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
Points.....	Points 26 vs. Belmont (12/21/17)*
Reb.....	Reb. 8, (3x) latest at Washington (12/21/19)*
Asst.....	Asst. 10 vs. Tennessee State (11/21/18)*
Blocks.....	Blocks 2 at Georgia (1/9/20)*
Steals.....	Steals 5 vs. UK (1/15/18), at Alabama (1/26/20)*
FGM.....	FGM 10 vs. Ball State (11/20/17)*
FGA.....	FGA..... 20 vs. Tennessee State (11/21/18)*
3FGM.....	3FGM 2, (11x)
3FGA.....	3FGA..... 6 vs. Eastern Kentucky (12/15/19)*
FT.....	FT 12 at Middle Tennessee (11/9/18)*
FT.....	FTA..... 14 at MTSU (11/9/18)*, at Tenn (1/7/18)*
Minutes.....	*at Vanderbilt

2021-22 GAME-BY-GAME												
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
vs. Arizona												
BELLARMINE												
UT MARTIN												
at Washington												
at Cal Poly												
at Colorado St												
MICHIGAN												
BELMONT												
KENTUCKY												
EKU												
vs. UConn												
BC												
at Georgia Tech												
PITT												
at Miami												
SYRACUSE												
at BC												
at NC ST												
WAKE FOREST												
FSU												
DUKE												
at Clemson												
at Syracuse												
VIRGINIA												
NOTRE DAME												
at UNC												
VIRGINIA TECH												
at Pitt												
at Notre Dame												

- Vanderbilt - Senior Year (2020-2021)**
 - Started all eight games of the shortened season
 - Reached 1,000 career points against Alabama (Jan. 10)
 - Led the team in free throw percentage (.824), three-point field goal percentage (83.3), assists (30) and total minutes played (267)
 - Shot 45-of-91 (49.5) from the field, which put her second on the team in field goal percentage
 - Her 49.5 field goal percentage also ranked 11th in the conference at the time Vanderbilt discontinued its season
 - Shot 82.4 percent from the free throw line, which was tops in the SEC when Vanderbilt's season ended
 - Recorded three or more assists in five of eight games
 - Second in team scoring with 15.4 points per game and averaged 4.8 rebounds per game
 - Had a season-high 24 points in the finale at No. 12 Kentucky (Jan. 17)
 - Flirted with a triple-double against VCU with 11 points, nine assists and seven rebounds
- Vanderbilt - Junior Year (2019-2020)**
 - SEC Community Service team
 - SEC Academic honor roll
 - Started all 30 games
 - Led the team in free throw percentage (.813), assists (117) and minutes (972)
 - Ranked eighth in SEC in assists and assists per game (3.9)
 - Recorded five or more assists in nine games
 - Finished with 319 points (10.6/game), 124 rebounds and 49 steals
 - Reached double-figures in 18 games, including two 20-point games
 - Season-high eight rebounds, nine assists and 42 minutes in overtime win at Washington (Dec. 21)
 - Season-high 21 points in a win over Ole Miss (Feb. 9)
- Vanderbilt - Sophomore Year (2018-2019)**
 - Saw action in 23 games with 15 starts
 - Missed six games due to injury
 - Collected a team second-best 75 assists on the season
 - Netted double-figures 11 times
 - Season-best 23 points at Middle Tennessee (Nov. 9)
 - Season-high 10 assists against Tennessee State (Nov. 21)
- Vanderbilt - Freshman Year (2017-2018)**
 - SEC All-Freshman team
 - 31 starts, averaging 11.9 points per game and 3.5 rebounds per game
 - Averaged 11.1 points per game in SEC play
 - Ranked third among SEC freshmen in scoring
 - 19 games in double figures, including three games with 20+ points
 - Season-best five steals against Kentucky (Jan. 15)
 - Season-best eight rebounds against Tennessee
- High School**
 - Three-year starter for Seffner Christian in Tampa, Fla.
 - First team All-State selection as junior and senior
 - Averaged 18.6 points per game and 5.8 rebounds per game as a senior
 - Helped Seffner Christian to 29-2 overall record and an appearance in Florida 3A state championship
 - Averaged 15.0 points/game, 4.4 assists/game and 4.0 rebounds/game, contributed to squad that made state 3A Final Four...
 - Three-year starter on high school varsity squads beginning in seventh grade prior to moving to Tampa
 - President's Honor Roll recipient
- Personal**
 - Born on Jan. 12, 1999
 - Daughter of Errol and Claudette Hall
 - Sister to Candice and Errol Jr.

CHELSIE HALL CAREER STATISTICS																					
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds											Scoring	
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fa	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg	
2017-18*	31-31	917/29.6	143-310	.461	14-43	.326	70-100	.700	21	86	107	3.5	69	1	95	106	0	33	370	11.9	
2018-19*	23-15	577/25.1	82-212	.387	12-38	.316	51-73	.699	16	38	54	2.3	43	1	75	62	2	19	227	9.9	
2019-20*	30-30	972/32.4	122-320	.381	23-76	.303	52-64	.813	21	103	124	4.1	68	0	117	80	5	49	319	10.6	
2020-21*	8-8	267/33.4	45-91	.495	5-6	.833	28-34	.824	6	32	38	4.8	22	0	30	25	0	12	123	15.4	
All*	92-84	2733/29.7	392-933	.420	54-163	.331	201-271	.742	64	259	323	3.5	202	2	317	273	7	113	1039	11.3	



44 OLIVIA COCHRAN

Forward | 6-3 | Sophomore
Columbus, Ga. | Carver

SEASON HIGHS		CAREER HIGHS		MISC STATS		Season	Career
Points.....		Points.....	19 vs. DePaul (12/4/20)	Double-Doubles.....		4	4
Reb.....		Reb.....	15 vs. Northwestern (3/24/21)	10-Plus Points		15	15
Asst.....		Asst.....	2, (five times) latest vs. UNC (1/28/21)	20-Plus Points		0	0
Blocks.....		Blocks.....	3 vs. Clemson (1/10/21)	30-Plus Points		0	0
Steals		Steals	2 vs. Bellarmine (1/2/21), vs. Syracuse (1/21/21)	Team-High Points.....		3	3
FGM.....		FGM.....	8 vs. DePaul (12/4/20)	10-Plus Rebounds		7	7
FGA.....		FGA.....	11 vs. GT (2/11/21)	Team-High Rebounds		15	15
3FGM.....		3FGM.....	1 vs. UNC (1/28/21)	10-Plus Assists.....		0	0
3FGA.....		3FGA.....	2 vs. UNC (1/28/21), at FSU (2/21/21)	Team-High Assists		0	0
FT		FT	9 at SEMO (11/25/20)				
FT		FTA	10 at SEMO (11/25/20)				
Minutes.....		Minutes.....	33 vs. NC State (2/1/21)				

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME																
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG				
at SEMO*	18	4-9	0-1	9-10	3-5-8	2	1	2	1	1	17	17.0				
EKU*	16	5-7	0-0	5-6	3-2-5	1	1	1	1	0	15	16.0				
vs. DEPAUL*	23	8-9	0-0	3-4	3-7-10	2	2	2	0	0	19	17.0				
UTM*	19	2-5	0-0	3-6	4-6-10	2	0	2	0	0	7	14.5				
at DUKE*	19	4-9	0-0	3-4	6-6-12	3	2	1	0	0	11	13.8				
NKU*	21	6-8	0-0	1-1	3-2-5	3	0	3	0	0	13	13.7				
BELL*	15	7-7	0-0	1-4	1-2-3	0	2	0	2	2	15	13.9				
UTM*	22	3-8	0-1	2-2	1-5-6	2	2	2	1	1	8	13.1				
at VT*	24	3-5	0-0	2-2	1-1-2	3	0	3	2	1	8	12.6				
CLEMSON	18	3-7	0-0	0-0	2-7-9	1	0	2	3	0	6	11.9				
BC*	22	6-9	0-0	6-8	2-5-7	0	0	2	0	1	18	12.5				
FSU*	22	5-7	0-0	4-4	0-3-3	2	0	1	2	1	14	12.6				
SYR*	26	5-7	0-0	1-2	0-3-3	3	1	4	1	2	11	12.5				
at WAKE*	28	3-8	0-0	4-4	2-9-11	3	0	0	1	0	10	12.3				
MIAMI*	14	3-3	0-0	1-1	0-2-2	3	0	2	0	0	7	11.9				
UNC*	30	7-10	1-2	2-3	1-6-7	3	2	0	2	1	17	12.3				
NC STATE*	33	4-7	0-0	0-0	2-7-9	3	0	5	2	0	8	12.0				
at BC					DNP											
ND	21	1-5	0-0	0-0	2-9-11	1	0	2	1	0	2	11.4				
GT	22	6-11	0-0	1-1	2-4-6	2	0	1	1	0	13	11.5				
at PITT	12	2-5	0-1	0-0	2-3-5	4	0	0	0	1	4	11.2				
at FSU*	19	6-10	0-0	0-2	3-6-9	2	1	1	0	0	12	11.2				
at ND*	18	4-6	0-1	0-0	1-4-5	3	0	2	2	1	8	11.0				
vs. WAKE*	8	3-4	0-0	0-0	1-0-1	3	0	3	0	0	6	10.8				
vs. SYR*	20	2-6	0-0	6-6	2-8-10	3	1	0	0	0	10	10.8				
vs. NC STATE*	27	3-5	0-0	2-2	2-6-8	4	1	0	0	0	8	10.7				
vs. MARIST*	16	1-5	0-1	0-0	1-4-5	2	1	2	1	0	2	10.3				
vs. NW*	28	3-9	0-0	7-9	5-10-15	0	1	2	1	0	13	10.4				
vs. OREGON*	20	1-7	0-0	0-0	2-4-6	0	1	0	0	0	2	10.1				
vs. STANFORD*	22	1-6	0-0	0-0	3-4-7	4	1	3	0	0	2	9.9				

Freshman Year (2020-21)

- Played in 29 games with 25 starts, leading the team with 6.9 rebounds per game. Averaged 20.9 minutes, 9.9 points and 0.8 blocks. Shot 54.4 percent from the floor and 63-81 (.778) from the free throw line
- Named to the 2020-21 ACC All-Freshman Team
- Ranked in top five among ACC freshmen in points per game, blocks, rebounds and free throws made/attempted
- In ACC games, ranked 12th in league with 5.0 defensive rebounds per game and 6.7 total rebounds per game, while ranking 14th with 1.1 blocks per game
- Five double-doubles on the season with 13 points and 15 rebounds vs. Northwestern, 10 points and 10 rebounds vs. Syracuse, 19 points and 10 rebounds vs. DePaul, 11 points and 12 rebounds at Duke and 10 points and 11 rebounds at WF. She is the first UofL freshman with five double-doubles in a season since Angel McCoughtry in 2005-06
- Scored in double figures in 15 of 29 games and recorded double figure rebounds seven times
- Recorded at least one block in 18 of 29 games
- Recorded her fifth double-double of the season with 13 points and a season-high 15 rebounds in the second round of the NCAA Tourney vs. Northwestern. Her 15 rebounds are tied for second most ever by a UofL player in NCAA Tournament game
- Posted her fourth double-double of the season with 10 points and 10 rebounds vs. Syracuse in the ACC Semifinals on 3/6
- Recorded eight points, five rebounds and two blocks at Notre Dame on 2/28
- Returned to the starting lineup, contributing 12 points and a team-high nine rebounds at Florida State on 2/21
- One of four players in double-figures, recording 13 points, six rebounds and one block vs. Georgia Tech on 2/11
- Recorded a team-high 11 rebounds in a win vs. Notre Dame on 2/7
- Posted eight points and nine rebounds in a career-high 33 minutes vs. NC State on 2/1
- Converted on her first seven shots from the field, recording a team-high 17 points and seven rebounds in 30 minutes vs. North Carolina on 1/28
- Posted her third career double-double with 10 points and 11 rebounds in 28 minutes at Wake Forest on 1/24
- Recorded 18 points and a team-high seven rebounds vs. Boston College on 1/14
- Recorded a season-high three blocks and a team-high nine rebounds vs. Clemson on 1/10
- Scored a team-high 15 points on a perfect 7-7 shooting vs. Bellarmine on 1/2
- Recorded a double-double with 11 points and a team-high 12 rebounds in a win over Duke on 12/9
- Scored seven points and grabbed a team-high 10 rebounds in 19 minutes vs. UTM on 12/6
- Recorded her first career double-double with 19 points and 10 rebounds, while shooting 8-9 from floor, vs. DePaul on 12/4
- Recorded a team-high 17 points and eight rebounds, while shooting 9-10 from the free throw line, in only 18 minutes in collegiate debut at SEMO on 11/25

High School

- Named a 2020 McDonald's All-American
- Named 2020 Jersey Mike's Naismith National High School All-American honorable mention
- Comes to Louisville as the No. 18-ranked player in the class of 2020, according to ESPNW HoopGurlz
- The five-star prospect is tabbed as the fourth-best player at the forward position
- Prospects Nation ranked her No. 10 overall and as the third-best forward, while she is ranked No. 26 by PASS Scouting Service
- Competed alongside Hailey Van Lith in leading the USA to gold at the 2019 FIBA 3x3 U18 World Cup in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia and scored 41 points, which ranked fourth among all competitors in the 20-team field
- Named a first team Class 4-A All-State selection by the Atlanta Journal Constitution in 2018 and 2019, while being named honorable mention as a freshman in 2017
- Was also named Georgia Class 4A All-State in 2018 and 2019
- Was named Ledger-Enquirer All-Bi-City Player of the Year in 2019, while also being named to the first team in 2018 and 2019 and the second team in 2017
- As a junior, she led Carver to their first ever Class 4-A state title. She averaged 26.0 points, 16.0 rebounds and eight blocked shots a game. She had 15 points and 11 rebounds in the state title game to cap a 32-0 season
- Named to the 2020 Naismith Trophy Girls High School Player of the Year Preseason Watch List

Personal

- Born on November 13, 2001
- Her mother, Tara Williams, was a second-team All-SEC guard as a senior at Auburn in 1997 and played two seasons in the WNBA. Her father, Antonio Cochran, was a defensive lineman at Georgia and was a fourth round pick in the 1999 NFL Draft by the Seattle Seahawks. He played five seasons for Seattle and one season for the Arizona Cardinals
- Majoring in sports administration, minoring in communications

OLIVIA COCHRAN CAREER STATISTICS																			
Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
2020-21	29-25	607/20.9	111-204	.544	1-7	.143	63-81	.778	60	140	200	6.9	64	0	20	48	24	12	286
TOTAL	29-25	607/20.9	111-204	.544	1-7	.143	63-81	.778	60	140	200	6.9	64	0	20	48	24	12	286



45 SYDNI SCHETNAN

Forward | 6-5 | Freshman
Sioux Falls, S.D. | Washington HS

SEASON HIGHS	MISC STATS	Season	Career
Points.....	Double-Doubles.....		
Reb.....	10-Plus Points		
Asst.....	20-Plus Points		
Blocks.....	30-Plus Points		
Steals	Team-High Points.....		
FGM.....	10-Plus Rebounds.....		
FGA.....	Team-High Rebounds		
3FGM.....	10-Plus Assists.....		
3FGA.....	Team-High Assists		
FT			
FT			
Minutes.....			

2021-22 GAME-BY-GAME											
Opponent	Min	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
vs. Arizona											
BELLARMINE											
UT MARTIN											
at Washington											
at Cal Poly											
at Colorado St											
MICHIGAN											
BELMONT											
KENTUCKY											
EKU											
vs. UConn											
BC											
at Georgia Tech											
PITT											
at Miami											
SYRACUSE											
at BC											
at NC ST											
WAKE FOREST											
FSU											
DUKE											
at Clemson											
at Syracuse											
VIRGINIA											
NOTRE DAME											
at UNC											
VIRGINIA TECH											
at Pitt											
at Notre Dame											

High School

- Ranked as No. 69 prospect by Collegiate Girls Basketball Report and No. 101 by PASS. Ranked as a three-star prospect and the 10th best post player by espnW Hoop Gurlz. Listed as a four-star prospect by Prospects Nation and the 11th best post player
- Averaged 16.1 points, 9.2 rebounds, 4.5 blocks per game while shooting 57.6% from floor as a senior
- Helped lead Washington to 20-2 record in 2020-21, Class AA State Champions and Metro-Conference Champions
- Set a school record for blocks in a season with 81 as a senior and set career record with 186
- Named 2021 Class AA All-State First Team, 2021 USA South Dakota Female Basketball Player of the Year, 2021 Class AA Player of the Year, 2021 Argus Leader First-Five Team Member, 2021 Midco Sports Class AA Player of the Year, 2021 Metro All-Conference First Team
- Earned First Team Class AA All-State honors in 2020 after averaging 12.8 points and 8.3 rebounds, while shooting 48 percent from the floor. She blocked an impressive 75 shots in just 20 games, good for 3.8 blocks per game
- In 2020, helped lead Washington to a 12-8 record and a spot in the Class AA state basketball tournament. She had 24 points, eight rebounds, three steals, two blocks, and an assist in a 65-48 win over No. 11 Mitchell in the state playoffs before the cancellation of tournament
- Named 2020 Class AA All-State First Team Volleyball
- Plans to play both basketball and volleyball at the University of Louisville

Personal

- Born on December 12, 2002
- Daughter of Thad and Kim, has one sister Jadyn
- Major is undecided
- Comes from a super-athletic family as her father ran cross country at North Dakota and her mother played basketball at South Dakota State and then ended her career at the University of South Dakota-Sioux Falls
- Her Aunt JoElle (Byre) Benson played at South Dakota State University and is in the SD High School Hall of Fame and Washington High School Hall of Fame along with her 1980 Basketball Team. She was also Miss Basketball
- Grandpa Elton Byre played at Dakota Wesleyan University where we ended with numerous records and is the Dakota Wesleyan Hall of Fame and South Dakota BB Hall of Fame.
- She has a cousin that plays football at Iowa, two cousins that played volleyball at SDSU

SYDNI SCHETNAN CAREER STATISTICS



Official Basketball Box Score - Final
Union (TN) at Louisville
 11/04/21 KFC Yum! Center, Louisville
 2021-22 Women's Basketball

Game Time: 7:00 PM
 Game Duration: 1:42
 Attendance: 6,587

Officials: Mark Berger, Ryan Durham, Kelsey Reynolds

Union (TN) - 32

Record: 0-0

NO.	Name		Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	Fouls PF FD	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks BS BA	+/-
12	Jaelencia Williams	C	25:52	1-7	0-0	1-4	2 2 4	0 3	3	2	2	0	0 4	-53
1	Shanique Lucas	G	27:16	6-14	0-2	0-0	1 2 3	2 2	12	1	11	1	0 1	-50
2	Ashtyn Baker	G	16:18	1-5	0-2	2-2	0 0 0	4 1	4	2	3	1	0 1	-28
20	Bethany Dillard	G	22:56	2-4	2-4	0-0	2 1 3	3 1	6	0	4	0	0 0	-45
24	Emily Beard	G	12:13	0-1	0-1	0-0	0 0 0	3 0	0	0	1	1	0 0	-32
3	Sadie Knee		17:59	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 2	0	2	4	0	0 0	-39
22	Kieli Robinson		11:54	1-1	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	0 1	2	0	0	0	0 0	-20
15	Shylee Morrison		23:14	0-2	0-1	0-0	0 1 1	1 0	0	0	2	0	0 1	-41
25	Bailey Augustine		08:26	0-2	0-0	2-2	1 1 2	3 1	2	1	1	0	0 1	-14
32	Leah Cauble		11:32	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	2 0	0	0	0	0	0 0	-17
10	Anna McCredy		12:37	0-2	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	3 1	0	0	0	0	2 1	-18
30	Keishama Lucas		07:43	1-2	1-2	0-0	1 1 2	0 0	3	0	0	0	0 0	-10
11	Sally Howell		02:00	0-1	0-1	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0 1	-3
Team							2 1 3		0		3			
Totals				12-41	3-13	5-8	9 11 20	21 12	32	8	31	3	2 10	-74

Technical Fouls: NONE

Shooting By Period		
1 st FG%	5-13	38.5%
3PT%	1-4	25.0%
FT%	0-0	0%
2 nd FG%	1-5	20.0%
3PT%	1-2	50.0%
FT%	1-2	50%
3 rd FG%	3-11	27.3%
3PT%	0-1	0.0%
FT%	2-4	50%
4 th FG%	3-12	25.0%
3PT%	1-6	16.7%
FT%	2-2	100%
GM FG%	12-41	29.3%
3PT%	3-13	23.1%
FT%	5-8	62.5%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 2, 0

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Record: 0-0

NO.	Name		Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	Fouls PF FD	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks BS BA	+/-
44	Olivia Cochran	F	15:54	5-9	0-0	0-1	2 0 2	1 2	10	2	2	4	0 0	35
5	Mykasa Robinson	G	17:11	2-4	0-0	0-0	1 2 3	1 0	4	2	1	0	0 1	32
10	Hailey Van Lith	G	16:32	3-6	1-3	4-6	1 3 4	0 4	11	4	1	0	0 0	31
14	Kianna Smith	G	15:53	4-6	1-3	0-0	0 2 2	0 0	9	2	1	2	0 0	37
23	Chelsie Hall	G	18:16	5-5	2-2	0-1	1 0 1	0 1	12	1	1	2	0 0	33
21	Emily Engstler		17:22	3-5	0-0	2-2	3 3 6	2 2	8	2	0	3	3 0	34
22	Liz Dixon		18:22	7-10	0-0	1-2	4 2 6	2 2	15	1	0	3	1 0	31
11	Norika Konno		18:03	3-6	1-3	0-0	1 0 1	2 0	7	2	1	1	1 0	29
2	Ahlana Smith		20:00	2-3	1-2	3-4	0 3 3	1 2	8	2	1	2	1 0	35
12	Payton Verhulst		19:36	4-8	1-3	1-5	4 1 5	1 5	10	2	0	1	2 0	40
13	Merissah Russell		12:23	4-6	1-2	0-0	4 1 5	1 1	9	0	0	0	1 0	17
0	Ramani Parker		05:14	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	1 0	0	0	0	0	0 0	8
45	Sydni Schetnan		05:14	0-2	0-0	3-4	1 1 2	0 2	3	0	0	0	1 1	8
Team							0 2 2		0		0			
Totals				42-70	8-18	14-25	22 21 43	12 21	106	20	8	18	10 2	74

Technical Fouls: NONE

Shooting By Period		
1 st FG%	12-17	70.6%
3PT%	2-2	100.0%
FT%	3-5	60%
2 nd FG%	14-24	58.3%
3PT%	3-7	42.9%
FT%	1-5	20%
3 rd FG%	9-15	60.0%
3PT%	1-4	25.0%
FT%	6-9	66.7%
4 th FG%	7-14	50.0%
3PT%	2-5	40.0%
FT%	4-6	66.7%
GM FG%	42-70	60.0%
3PT%	8-18	44.4%
FT%	14-25	56.0%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 6, 0

	UTN	LOU
Biggest lead	2 (1 st 9:51)	74 (4 th 0:46)
Best Scoring Run	3 (1 st 5:05)	24 (2 nd 5:16)
Lead Changes	1	
Times Tied	1	
Time with Lead	00:21	39:04

Points from	UTN	LOU
Turnovers	4	49
Paint	16	60
Second Chance	7	28
Fast Breaks	0	18
Bench	7	60

Period by Period Scoring					
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	TOT
UTN	11	4	8	9	32
LOU	29	32	25	20	106

2021-22 Louisville Cardinals - Photo Roster



0 Ramani Parker
F | 6-4 | R-Sr.
Fresno, Calif.
(Montverde Academy)



2 Ahlana Smith
G | 5-9 | Sr.
Charlotte, N.C.
(Gulf Coast State)



3 Alexia Mobley
F | 6-2 | Fr.
Reynoldsburg, Ohio
(Reynoldsburg)



5 Mykasa Robinson
G | 5-7 | Sr.
Ashland, Ky.
(Ashland Blazer)



10 Hailey Van Lith
G | 5-7 | So.
Wenatchee, Wash.
(Cashmere)



11 Norika Konno
G | 5-10 | Jr.
Sendai, Japan
(Seiwa)



12 Payton Verhulst
G | 6-1 | Fr.
De Soto, Kan.
(Bishop Miege)



13 Merissah Russell
G | 5-11 | So.
Ottawa, Ontario
(Cairine Wilson)



14 Kianna Smith
G | 6-0 | R-Sr.
Moreno Valley, Calif.
(California)



21 Emily Engstler
F | 6-1 | Sr.
New York, N.Y.
(Syracuse)



22 Liz Dixon
F | 6-5 | Sr.
Memphis, Tenn.
(Georgia Tech)



23 Chelsie Hall
G | 5-7 | Gr.
Boca Raton, Fla.
(Vanderbilt)



44 Olivia Cochran
F | 6-3 | So.
Columbus, Ga.
(Carver)



45 Sydni Schetnan
F | 6-5 | Fr.
Sioux Falls, S.D.
(Washington HS)

Coaching Staff



Jeff Walz
Head Coach



Stephanie Norman
Associate Head Coach



Sam Purcell
Associate Coach



Jonneshia Pineda
Assistant Coach



Kate Tucker
Director of Operations



THE STAT CREW SYSTEM
Louisville Combined Team Statistics (as of Mar 31, 2
All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	26-4	13-1	7-1	6-2
CONFERENCE	14-2	8-1	6-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	12-2	5-0	1-0	6-2

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
01	Dana Evans	30-30	986	32.9	221-514	.430	71-201	.353	89-102	.873	7	73	80	2.7	52	0	117	64	2	38	602	20.1
14	Kianna Smith	28-20	777	27.8	124-279	.444	55-145	.379	16-20	.800	27	81	108	3.9	55	2	61	31	10	25	319	11.4
10	Hailey Van Lith	30-30	905	30.2	121-282	.429	49-128	.383	44-53	.830	37	118	155	5.2	57	0	63	52	7	36	335	11.2
44	Olivia Cochran	29-25	607	20.9	111-204	.544	1-7	.143	63-81	.778	60	140	200	6.9	64	0	20	48	24	12	286	9.9
22	Elizabeth Dixon	30-7	558	18.6	97-172	.564	0-0	.000	35-47	.745	68	94	162	5.4	61	0	13	29	34	12	229	7.6
04	Elizabeth Balogun	29-16	567	19.6	60-139	.432	24-75	.320	24-30	.800	28	81	109	3.8	54	1	48	37	43	27	168	5.8
11	Norika Konno	30-0	364	12.1	38-79	.481	13-37	.351	12-15	.800	19	22	41	1.4	27	0	27	26	7	17	101	3.4
02	Ahlana Smith	27-5	285	10.6	31-68	.456	7-24	.292	6-11	.545	9	16	25	0.9	24	0	18	15	4	16	75	2.8
00	Ramani Parker	17-0	118	6.9	19-29	.655	0-1	.000	8-12	.667	11	27	38	2.2	19	0	1	10	5	1	46	2.7
05	Mykasa Robinson	30-17	626	20.9	33-79	.418	0-1	.000	11-18	.611	48	84	132	4.4	61	0	66	26	5	35	77	2.6
31	Nyah Green	5-0	52	10.4	5-19	.263	1-6	.167	0-0	.000	5	5	10	2.0	8	0	1	2	0	0	11	2.2
13	Merissah Russell	20-0	135	6.8	16-36	.444	1-6	.167	10-15	.667	15	29	44	2.2	18	0	8	10	1	4	43	2.2
03	Malea Williams	8-0	20	2.5	4-7	.571	2-3	.667	2-2	1.000	0	5	5	0.6	2	0	0	2	2	0	12	1.5
Team											21	51	72				8					
Total.....		30	6000		880-1907	.461	224-634	.353	320-406	.788	355	826	1181	39.4	502	3	443	360	144	223	2304	76.8
Opponents.....		30	6000		661-1785	.370	143-518	.276	357-511	.699	371	706	1077	35.9	451	5	335	463	77	159	1822	60.7

TEAM STATISTICS			LOU	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING			2304	1822	11-25-20	at Southeast Missouri	w 74-53	475
Points per game			76.8	60.7	11/29/20	EASTERN KY.	w 101-58	2614
Scoring margin			+16.1	-	12/04/20	vs DePaul	w 116-75	0
FIELD GOALS-ATT			880-1907	661-1785	12/06/20	UT MARTIN	w 85-67	2709
Field goal pct			.461	.370	* 12/09/20	at Duke	w 73-49	0
3 POINT FG-ATT			224-634	143-518	01/01/21	NORTHERN KY.	w 74-64	0
3-point FG pct			.353	.276	01/02/21	BELLARMINE	w 97-46	2718
3-pt FG made per game			7.5	4.8	01/05/21	UT MARTIN	w 96-61	2754
FREE THROWS-ATT			320-406	357-511	* 01/07/21	at Virginia Tech	w 71-67	250
Free throw pct			.788	.699	* 01/10/21	CLEMSON	w 70-45	2734
F-Throws made per game			10.7	11.9	* 01/14/21	BOSTON COLLEGE	w 89-70	2604
REBOUNDS			1181	1077	* 01/17/21	FLORIDA ST.	w 84-56	2804
Rebounds per game			39.4	35.9	* 01/21/21	SYRACUSE	w 67-54	2643
Rebounding margin			+3.5	-	* 01/24/21	at Wake Forest	w 65-63	0
ASSISTS			443	335	* 01/26/21	MIAMI (FL)	w 79-76	2653
Assists per game			14.8	11.2	* 01/28/21	NORTH CAROLINA	w 79-68	2748
TURNOVERS			360	463	* 02/01/21	NC STATE	L 60-74	3201
Turnovers per game			12.0	15.4	* 02/04/21	at Boston College	w 97-68	0
Turnover margin			+3.4	-	* 02/07/21	NOTRE DAME	w 71-65	2912
Assist/turnover ratio			1.2	0.7	* 02/11/21	GEORGIA TECH	w 85-70	2914
STEALS			223	159	* 02/18/21	at Pittsburgh	w 82-58	500
Steals per game			7.4	5.3	* 02/21/21	at Florida St.	L 59-68	1258
BLOCKS			144	77	* 02/28/21	at Notre Dame	w 78-61	126
Blocks per game			4.8	2.6	03/05/21	vs Wake Forest	w 65-53	0
ATTENDANCE			36008	6135	03/06/21	vs Syracuse	w 72-59	0
Home games-Avg/Game			14-2572	8-326	03/07/21	vs NC State	L 56-58	2063
Neutral site-Avg/Game			-	8-441	03/22/21	vs Marist	w 74-43	0
Score by Periods			1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Totals	
Louisville			586	551	613	554	2304	
Opponents			447	396	495	484	1822	
								03/24/21 vs Northwestern w 62-53 0
								03/28/21 vs Oregon w 60-42 0
								03/30/21 vs Stanford L 63-78 1463

* = Conference game