



HOUSTON TEXANS

2020 TRAINING CAMP GUIDE

Houston Texans Training Camp presented by Xfinity will begin on Friday, August 14 as the Texans take the field in preparation for the 2020 season. Due to COVID-19, fans will not be allowed to attend any practices, but will have the opportunity to listen to Texans Radio on HoustonTexans.com, the Houston Texans Mobile App, Sports Radio 610 and TuneIn. The "Voice of the Texans" Marc Vandermeer will be broadcasting Texans Training Camp Live each day.

As training camp continues, the Texans will be offering unique experiences to season ticket members and fans. Texans fans will be able to find these opportunities at [Texans Training Camp Central](#).

The Texans School Supply Drive presented by Reliant is back and will run until Thursday, Aug. 24. The drive encourages fans to donate [online](#) to help support students at the Houston Texans YMCA, in grades K-12 by purchasing pre-packaged school supplies. Including backpacks, each kit includes grade-level specific supplies, ready to hand out to students heading back to school, even virtually.

All training camp practices are subject to short notice changes and adjustments based on weather and/or football operations decisions. Updates are promptly available on the club's digital media platforms and via email from Texans PR.



2020 TEXANS SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
Thursday	Sept. 10	at Kansas City Chiefs	NBC	7:20 p.m.
Sunday	Sept. 20	BALTIMORE RAVENS	CBS	3:25 p.m.
Sunday	Sept. 27	at Pittsburgh Steelers	CBS	Noon
Sunday	Oct. 4	MINNESOTA VIKINGS	FOX	Noon
Sunday	Oct. 11	JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS	CBS	Noon
Sunday	Oct. 18	at Tennessee Titans	CBS	Noon
Sunday	Oct. 25	GREEN BAY PACKERS	FOX	Noon
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Sunday	Nov. 8	at Jacksonville Jaguars	CBS	Noon
Sunday	Nov. 15	at Cleveland Browns	FOX	Noon
Sunday	Nov. 22	NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS	CBS	Noon
Thursday	Nov. 26	at Detroit Lions (Thanksgiving)	CBS	11:30 a.m.
Sunday	Dec. 6	INDIANAPOLIS COLTS	CBS	Noon
Sunday	Dec. 13	at Chicago Bears	CBS	Noon
TBD	Dec. 19/20	at Indianapolis Colts	TBD	TBD
Sunday	Dec. 27	CINCINNATI BENGALS	CBS	Noon
Sunday	Jan. 3	TENNESSEE TITANS	CBS	Noon



2020 SEASON SCHEDULE

WK 1 • AT



THURSDAY
SEPT 10
7:20 PM
NBC

WK 2 • VS



SUNDAY
SEPT 20
3:25 PM
CBS

WK 3 • AT



SUNDAY
SEPT 27
12:00 PM
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THURSDAY
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WK 13 • VS



SUNDAY
DEC 6
12:00 PM
CBS

WK 14 • AT



SUNDAY
DEC 13
12:00 PM
CBS

WK 15 • AT



TBD
DEC 19/20
KICKOFF TBD
TBD

WK 16 • VS



SUNDAY
DEC 27
12:00 PM
CBS

WK 17 • VS



SUNDAY
JAN 3
12:00 PM
CBS

HOME GAMES ARE IN **BLUE**

ALL GAMES ARE LISTED IN CT AND CAN BE HEARD ON TEXANS RADIO ON SPORTSRADIO 610, 100.3 THE BULL AND IN SPANISH ON MEGA 107 FM

MEDIA SERVICES

HOUSTON TEXANS ON NFL OMG

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For customized access to the NFLOMG site, please utilize your email address as your username and "TexansMedia" as your password. If you have any issues accessing the site, please contact **Omar Majzoub** at omar.majzoub@houstontexans.com or (832) 667-2241 and **Nathan Edwards** at nathan.edwards@houstontexans.com or (832) 667-2282. For generic access, please utilize the username "HoustonTexans" and password "TexansMedia".

The Texans' interactive site will contain the complete 2020 Media Guide, all weekly game releases, player bios and rosters, Texans staff information and bios, weekly flip cards, a game tracker, all Texans team and individual records and statistics, Texans historical information, daily press releases and transcripts and much more.

The game releases and media guide are updated weekly during the season and available in a PDF format. Team notes, player bios, team and individual records, miscellaneous stats and game summaries are updated following each game and posted on the site. On gamedays, the site will host live statistics, updated player notes, postgame quotes and more. It is an easy-to-use, one-stop shop for all media needs and information regarding the Texans.

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HOUSTONTEXANS.COM

Fans can access coverage on www.HoustonTexans.com throughout the season on Texans TV. The Texans stream live video of press conferences as well as game highlights, interviews, in-depth team features, community recaps, NFL Network footage and much more.

HOUSTON TEXANS FTP FOOTAGE

The Texans regularly distribute press conference footage and b-roll packages via Dropbox. If you would like to be added to the distribution list, members of which receive emails when new content is uploaded, please contact **Nathan Edwards** at nathan.edwards@houstontexans.com.

TRANSCRIPTS

The Texans communications staff sends out transcripts of press conferences, open locker room interviews and postgame interviews throughout the season. To be added to the Texans email list, please contact **Nathan Edwards** at nathan.edwards@houstontexans.com. All transcripts will also be posted on the Houston Texans NFL OMG website at www.NFLOMG.com.

TEXANS PR ON TWITTER

For up-to-the-second news, press releases, transcripts, game information, bios, notes and a variety of other information on the Houston Texans, follow the Texans PR Department on Twitter: [@TexansPR](https://twitter.com/TexansPR).

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TEAM NOTES

TEXANS ROSTER QUICK FACTS

Oldest: LS **Jon Weeks** (born 2/17/86)

Youngest: WR **Isaiah Coulter** (born 9/18/98)

Tallest: T **Charlie Heck** (6-8)

Shortest: WR **DeAndre Carter** and RB **Scottie Phillips** (5-8)

Heaviest: G/T **Max Scharping** (327 lbs)

Lightest: WR **Brandin Cooks** and K **Ka'imi Fairbairn** (183 lbs)

Most NFL Seasons: LS **Jon Weeks** (11)

State that produced the most Texans: California, 9 – P **Bryan Anger** (Camarillo), WR **DeAndre Carter** (San Jose), WR **Brandin Cooks** (Stockton), TE **Darren Fells** (Fullerton), WR **Chad Hansen** (Fillmore), WR **Steven Mitchell Jr.** (Pasadena), T **Kyle Murphy** (Mission Viejo), WR **Kenny Stills** (Encinitas), TE **Kahale Warring** (Sonora)

College that produced the most Texans: 5 – Stanford (ILB **Peter Kalam-bayi**, T **Kyle Murphy**, S **Justin Reid**, OLB **Brennan Scarlett**, S **Michael Thomas**)

Former 1st round picks: 10 – DE **J.J. Watt** (Texans 2011), OLB **Whitney Mercilus** (Texans 2012), WR **Brandin Cooks** (New Orleans 2014), CB **Bradley Roby** (Denver 2014), CB **Vernon Hargreaves III** (Tampa Bay 2016), T **Laremy Tunsil** (Miami 2016), WR **Will Fuller V** (Texans 2016), QB **Deshaun Watson** (Texans 2017), CB **Gareon Conley** (Oakland 2017), G/T **Tytus Howard** (Texans 2019)

Pro Bowlers: 6 – DE **J.J. Watt** (2012-15, 2018 with Texans), LS **Jon Weeks** (2015 with Texans), RB **David Johnson** (2016 with Cardinals), ILB **Benardick McKinney** (2018 with Texans), T **Laremy Tunsil** (2019 with Texans), QB **Deshaun Watson** (2018-19 with Texans)

Texans with NCAA Championship titles: DT **Albert Huggins** (Clemson 2016, 2018), QB **Deshaun Watson** (Clemson 2016), DE **Carlos Watkins** (Clemson 2016), CB **Gareon Conley** (Ohio State 2014), QB **AJ McCarron** (Alabama 2011-12)

Texans with relatives that also play professional sports: C **Nick Martin** (brother Zack is a six-time All-Pro selection and six-time Pro Bowl guard for the Dallas Cowboys), S **Justin Reid** (brother Eric is a former NFL safety for the San Francisco 49ers and Carolina Panthers), DE **J.J. Watt** (brothers Derek and T.J. play fullback and outside linebacker, respectively, for the Pittsburgh Steelers), TE **Darren Fells** (brother Daniel is a former NFL tight end for the Patriots, Giants, Broncos and Rams), S **A.J. Moore Jr.** (twin brother C.J. plays safety for the Detroit Lions), ILB **Nate Hall** (brother Jimmy spent time with the Oakland Raiders and Kansas City Chiefs), T **Charlie Heck** (father Andy played 12 seasons as a tackle with the Seahawks, Bears and Redskins), OLB **Jacob Martin** (brother Josh plays linebacker for the New Orleans Saints), T **Kyle Murphy** (brother Kevin played two seasons for the Minnesota Vikings), S **Jaylen Watkins** (brother Sammy plays wide receiver for the Kansas City Chiefs)

Texans who played other sports in college: TE **Jordan Akins** (baseball at Central Florida), TE **Darren Fells** (basketball at UC-Irvine), LB **Jan Johnson** (wrestling at Penn State) TE **Jordan Thomas** (basketball at East Central CC), WR **Isaac Whitney** (track at Southern California)

FINAL 2019 REGULAR SEASON NFL RANKS

OFFENSE	HST	Rnk	DEFENSE	HST	Rnk
Yards / Game	362.0	13	Yards / Game	388.3	28
Yards / Play	5.70	12	Yards / Play	6.09	31
Rushing Yards / Game	125.6	9	Rush Yards / Game	121.1	25
Rushing Yards / Play	4.63	8	Rush Yards / Play	4.81	27
Passing Yards / Game	236.4	15	Pass Yards / Game	267.3	29
Passing Yards / Play	7.08	13	Pass Yards / Play	7.30	24
Interception Rate	2.62 %	20	Interception Rate	2.05 %	22
Sacks / Pass Attempt	9.18 %	27	Sacks / Pass Attempt	5.29 %	28
First Downs / Game	21.6	9	First Downs / Game	21.6	26t
Punt Return Avg	9.7	5	Punt Return Avg	3.4	1
Kickoff Return Avg	22.0	19	Kickoff Return Avg	18.6	2
Field Goals Made	80.00 %	17t	3rd Down Pct	48.51 %	31
3rd Down Pct	43.52 %	8	4th Down Pct	43.75 %	10
4th Down Pct	52.00 %	12	Red Zone Pct	71.43 %	32
Red Zone Pct	64.15 %	7	Goal to Go Pct	78.95 %	27
Goal to Go Pct	75.86 %	9	Points / Game	24.1	19
Avg Time of Possession	30:02	14t	Point Diff. / Game	-0.4	15
Points/Game	23.6	14	Yard Diff. / Game	-26.3	20

2019 TEXANS HONORS

DT ANGELO BLACKSON

Week 15 - AFC Special Teams Player of the Week

WR DeANDRE HOPKINS

Associated Press NFL All-Pro First Team

Pro Bowl selection

Pro Football Weekly All-AFC

G/T TYTUS HOWARD

Pro Football Weekly All-Rookie

OLB WHITNEY MERCILUS

Week 2 - AFC Defensive Player of the Week

S JUSTIN REID

Houston Texans Ed Block Courage Award

T LAREMY TUNSIL

Pro Bowl selection

QB DESHAUN WATSON

October - AFC Offensive Player of the Month

Week 3 - AFC Offensive Player of the Week

Week 5 - AFC Offensive Player of the Week

Week 13 - AFC Offensive Player of the Week

Pro Bowl selection

TOP OF THE CLASS

By winning the AFC South in 2019, the Texans joined the Kansas City Chiefs and New England Patriots as the only teams in the NFL to win their division in four of five years (2015-16, 2018-19). New England is the only team who has won each of the last five years.

Houston's consecutive AFC South division titles saw them string together 21 wins over the past two seasons (2018-19). The 21 wins are the second-most in a two-year span in franchise history (22 wins from 2011-12) and are the fourth-most by an AFC team in that span.

The Texans' four AFC South division titles in a five-year span made it only the second occurrence in AFC South history since 2002. Only the Indianapolis Colts (2003-07) have won at least four AFC South division titles in a five-year span. The Texans have now appeared in the playoffs six times, which is the second-most in AFC South Division history (since 2002).

TEAM NOTES



NEW FACES

The Texans have 20 players on the active 80-man roster that are new to the team in 2020. That total includes 11 rookies (five draft picks, six college free agents) and nine veteran acquisitions.

2020 DRAFT PICKS (5)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Ex	School	How Acq.
34	John Reid	CB	5-10	187	R	Penn State	D4b-'20
52	Jonathan Greenard	OLB	6-3	263	R	Florida	D3-'20
67	Charlie Heck	T	6-8	311	R	North Carolina	D4a-'20
82	Isaiah Coulter	WR	6-2	198	R	Rhode Island	D5-'20
90	Ross Blacklock	DT	6-3	290	R	TCU	D2-'20

VETERAN FREE AGENT ACQUISITIONS (9)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Ex	School	How Acq.
13	Brandin Cooks	WR	5-10	183	7	Oregon State	T-'20 (LAR)
18	Randall Cobb	WR	5-10	195	10	Kentucky	UFA-'20 (DAL)
23	Eric Murray	S	5-11	199	5	Minnesota	UFA-'20 (CLE)
27	Jaylen Watkins	S	5-11	194	6	Florida	UFA-'20 (LAC)
28	Michael Thomas	S	5-11	195	7	Stanford	FA-'20
31	David Johnson	RB	6-1	224	6	Northern Iowa	T-'20 (ARI)
76	Brent Qvale	T	6-7	315	6	Nebraska	UFA-'20 (NYJ)
77	Jerald Hawkins	G/T	6-6	305	5	Louisiana State	FA-'20
96	P.J. Hall	NT	6-0	305	3	Sam Houston State	FA-'20

COLLEGE FREE AGENTS (6)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Ex	School	How Acq.
40	Scottie Phillips	RB	5-8	209	R	Mississippi	CFA-'20
56	Jan Johnson	ILB	6-2	231	R	Penn State	CFA-'20
70	Cordel Iwuagwu	G	6-3	309	R	TCU	CFA-'20
84	Dylan Stapleton	TE	6-5	242	R	James Madison	CFA-'20
86	Tyler Simmons	WR	6-0	201	R	Georgia	CFA-'20
98	Auzoyah Alufohai	NT	6-4	320	R	West Georgia	CFA-'20

RETURNING VETERANS

Houston has 60 players on its active 80-man roster that were part of the active roster or practice squad last season.

RETURNING VETERANS (60)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Ex	School	How Acq.
2	AJ McCarron	QB	6-3	215	7	Alabama	FA-'19
3	Alex McGough	QB	6-3	214	1	Florida International	FA-'19
4	Deshaun Watson	QB	6-2	215	4	Clemson	D1-'17
7	Ka'imi Fairbairn	K	6-0	183	5	UCLA	CFA-'16
9	Bryan Anger	P	6-3	205	9	California	FA-'19
11	Steven Mitchell Jr.	WR	5-10	186	2	Southern California	FA-'18
12	Kenny Stills	WR	6-1	202	8	Oklahoma	T-'19 (MIA)
14	DeAndre Carter	WR	5-8	190	3	Sacramento State	W-'18 (PHI)
15	Will Fuller V	WR	6-0	184	5	Notre Dame	D1-'16
16	Keke Coutee	WR	5-11	187	3	Texas Tech	D4-'18
17	Chad Hansen	WR	6-2	202	2	California	W-'19 (NO)
19	Isaac Whitney	WR	6-2	204	2	Southern California	FA-'18
20	Justin Reid	S	6-1	203	3	Stanford	D3a-'18
21	Bradley Roby	CB	5-11	194	7	Ohio State	UFA-'19 (DEN)
22	Gareon Conley	CB	6-0	190	4	Ohio State	T-'19 (OAK)
24	Karan Higdon Jr.	RB	5-10	202	1	Michigan	CFA-'19
25	Duke Johnson	RB	5-9	210	6	Miami (Fla.)	T-'19 (CLE)
26	Vernon Hargreaves III	CB	5-10	204	5	Florida	W-'19 (TB)
29	Phillip Gaines	CB	6-0	193	7	Rice	FA-'19
30	Cornell Armstrong	CB	6-0	185	3	Southern Miss	FA-'19
32	Lonnie Johnson Jr.	CB	6-2	213	2	Kentucky	D2a-'19
33	A.J. Moore Jr.	S	5-11	200	3	Mississippi	W-'18 (NE)
35	Keion Crossen	CB	5-10	185	3	Western Carolina	T-'19 (NE)
36	Jonathan Owens	S	5-11	210	2	Missouri Western State	FA-'19
38	Buddy Howell	RB	6-1	218	3	Florida Atlantic	W-'18 (MIA)
41	Zach Cunningham	ILB	6-3	238	4	Vanderbilt	D2-'17
43	Anthony Chesley	CB	6-0	190	1	Coastal Carolina	FA-'19
44	Cullen Gillaspia	FB	6-2	235	2	Texas A&M	D7-'19
46	Jon Weeks	LS	5-10	242	11	Baylor	FA-'10
48	Nate Hall	ILB	6-2	235	1	Northwestern	FA-'19
49	Davin Bellamy	OLB	6-5	259	1	Georgia	CFA-'18
50	Tyrell Adams	ILB	6-2	230	5	West Georgia	FA-'18
51	Dylan Cole	ILB	6-0	237	4	Missouri State	CFA-'17
53	Duke Ejirofor	OLB	6-4	255	3	Wake Forest	D6a-'18
54	Jacob Martin	OLB	6-2	242	3	Temple	T-'19 (SEA)
55	Benardrick McKinney	ILB	6-4	257	6	Mississippi State	D2-'15
57	Brennan Scarlett	OLB	6-4	263	5	Stanford	CFA-'16
58	Peter Kalambayi	ILB	6-3	254	3	Stanford	D6c-'18
59	Whitney Mercilus	OLB	6-4	258	9	Illinois	D1-'12
63	Roderick Johnson	T	6-6	306	4	Florida State	W-'18 (CLE)
64	Senio Kelemete	G	6-3	301	8	Washington	UFA-'18 (NO)
65	Greg Mancz	C/G	6-4	302	6	Toledo	CFA-'15
66	Nick Martin	C	6-4	295	5	Notre Dame	D2-'16
68	Kyle Murphy	T	6-6	305	4	Stanford	FA-'19
71	Tytus Howard	G/T	6-5	322	2	Alabama State	D1-'19
72	Rick Leonard	T	6-7	311	1	Florida State	FA-'18
73	Zach Fulton	C/G	6-5	321	7	Tennessee	UFA-'18 (KC)
74	Max Scharping	G/T	6-6	327	2	Northern Illinois	D2b-'19
75	Elijah Nkansah	T	6-5	315	1	Toledo	FA-'19
78	Laremy Tunsil	T	6-5	313	5	Mississippi	T-'19 (MIA)
81	Kahale Warring	TE	6-5	252	2	San Diego State	D3-'19
83	Jordan Thomas	TE	6-5	277	3	Mississippi State	D6b-'18
87	Darren Fells	TE	6-7	270	7	California-Irvine	FA-'19
88	Jordan Atkins	TE	6-4	243	3	Central Florida	D3c-'18
91	Carlos Watkins	DE	6-3	297	4	Clemson	D4b-'17
92	Brandon Dunn	NT	6-2	310	5	Louisville	FA-'15
93	Albert Huggins	DT	6-3	305	2	Clemson	W-'20 (PHI)
94	Charles Omenihu	DE	6-5	280	2	Texas	D5-'19
97	Angelo Blackson	DT	6-4	319	6	Auburn	FA-'17
99	J.J. Watt	DE	6-5	288	10	Wisconsin	D1-'11

TEAM NOTES

FIRST-ROUND FACTORS

Houston's first-round draft picks have made immediate impacts, with all but three playing in 14-or-more games as a rookie.

TEXANS FIRST-ROUND DRAFT PICKS, ROOKIE YEAR GP/GS

Year	Pk	Player	GP	GS
2002	1	David Carr, QB*	16	16
2003	3	Andre Johnson, WR*	16	16
2004	10	Dunta Robinson, CB	16	16
2004	27	Jason Babin, OLB	16	16
2005	16	Travis Johnson, DT	15	3
2006	1	Mario Williams, DE	16	16
2007	10	Amobi Okoye, DT*	16	14
2008	26	Duane Brown, T	16	16
2009	15	Brian Cushing, LB*	16	16
2010	20	Kareem Jackson, CB	16	16
2011	11	J.J. Watt, DE*	16	16
2012	26	Whitney Mercilus, OLB	16	4
2013	27	DeAndre Hopkins, WR*	16	16
2014	1	Jadeveon Clowney, DE/OLB	4	4
2015	16	Kevin Johnson, CB	16	10
2016	21	Will Fuller V, WR	14	13
2017	12	Deshawn Watson, QB*	7	6
2019	23	Tytus Howard, G/T*	8	8

Bold indicates current Texan.

* Indicates selected to PFWA All-Rookie team

SECOND ROUND STUDS

Throughout the franchise's history, the Texans have been adept at finding talent in the second round of NFL Drafts. Of the Texans' 14 second round draft picks prior to 2018, 13 of them have played in 30 or more games for the franchise. 2020 second round pick DT **Ross Blacklock** will look to add to the team's success this season.

TEXANS SECOND-ROUND DRAFT PICKS, MOST CAREER GP

Year	Pk	Player	GP	GS
2002	50	Chester Pitts, T	114	114
2006	33	DeMeco Ryans, LB	86	86
2015	43	Benardrick McKinney, ILB	76	73
2002	33	Jabar Gaffney, WR	64	50
2011	42	Brooks Reed, LB	60	52
2014	33	Xavier Su'a-Filo, G	56	41
2009	46	Connor Barwin, DE	49	32
2017	50	Nick Martin, C	46	46
2017	57	Zach Cunningham, ILB	46	43

Bold indicates current Texan.



2020 TEXANS OPPONENTS

HOME OPPONENTS

Division	Team	2019 Record	2019 Road Record
NFC North	Green Bay Packers*	13-3	6-2
	Minnesota Vikings*	10-6	4-4
AFC North	Baltimore Ravens*	14-2	7-1
	Cincinnati Bengals	2-14	0-8
AFC East	New England Patriots*	12-4	6-2
AFC South	Indianapolis Colts	7-9	2-6
	Jacksonville Jaguars	6-10	3-5
	Tennessee Titans*	9-7	5-3

ROAD OPPONENTS

Division	Team	2019 Record	2019 Home Record
NFC North	Chicago Bears	13-3	6-2
	Detroit Lions	5-11	4-4
AFC North	Cleveland Browns	13-3	6-2
	Pittsburgh Steelers	5-11	4-4
AFC West	Kansas City Chiefs*	10-6	6-2
AFC South	Indianapolis Colts	7-9	5-3
	Jacksonville Jaguars	6-10	3-5
	Tennessee Titans*	9-7	4-4

* Denotes 2019 playoff team

SIX SEASONS UNDER OB



O'BRIEN

In 2019, the Texans earned their second-consecutive double digit win season (10-6) under Head Coach and General Manager **Bill O'Brien** (2014-19). In franchise history, Houston has only won double digit games in back-to-back seasons one other time: 2011 (10-6) and 2012 (12-4). The Texans also earned their fifth winning season in six years under O'Brien. Prior to his tenure, the Texans had only put together three winning seasons in franchise history and all were under **Gary Kubiak**: 9-7 in 2009, 10-6 in 2011 and 12-4 in 2012.

O'Brien has the most wins by any head coach in franchise history through their first six seasons with the team with 52. Kubiak, who served as head coach from 2006-2013, ranks second with 47 wins in his first six years.

O'Brien has won four division titles in six seasons and no other active head coach won more division titles in their first six years. Kansas City's **Andy Reid** is the only other coach to also win four division titles in their first six seasons.

O'Brien has also made the playoffs in four of his first six seasons and only two other head coaches had more playoff appearances in their first six seasons: Baltimore's **John Harbaugh** and Reid made the postseason in five of their first six seasons.

O'Brien's five winning seasons with the Texans ranks tied for first among current NFL head coaches in their first six full seasons with their current team and tied for first among current NFL head coaches in their first six full seasons as a head coach.

WINNING SEASONS FOR CURRENT NFL HEAD COACHES, FIRST SIX FULL SEASONS AS A HEAD COACH

Rank	Coach	Team	Winning Seasons
1t	Bill O'Brien	Houston Texans	5
1t	Mike Tomlin	Pittsburgh Steelers	5
1t	John Harbaugh	Baltimore Ravens	5
1t	Andy Reid	Kansas City Chiefs	5

PLAYER QUICK NOTES



QUARTERBACKS (3)

2 AJ McCARRON 6-3 215 7th season Alabama

Seventh-year quarterback entering his second year with the Texans after signing as a free agent in 2019...Has thrown for 1,153 yards and six touchdowns over his seven seasons in the league, including a career-high 854 yards and six touchdowns for the Bengals in 2015...Originally selected in the fifth round (164th overall) of the 2014 NFL Draft by the Bengals...Led Alabama to back-to-back National Championships in 2011 and 2012.

3 ALEX McGOUGH 6-3 214 1st season Florida International

Came to the Texans after spending the 2018 season as a member of the Seahawks practice squad...Signed by the Texans as a free agent on Sept. 2, 2019...Originally selected by the Seattle Seahawks in the seventh round (220th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft...Finished his career at Florida International with the most passing yards (9,091), completions (807) and passing touchdowns (65) in school history.

4 DESHAUN WATSON 6-2 215 4th season Clemson

Became the only player in NFL history to record consecutive seasons with 25-or-more passing touchdowns and five-or-more rushing touchdowns...Joined Steve Young (1994, 1998) as the only quarterbacks in NFL history with more than one of such season...Marked the first player in NFL history to eclipse 9,500 passing yards and 1,000 career rushing yards in his first 38 career games...Was just the fifth player since the AFL/NFL merger to record over 26 passing touchdowns and seven rushing touchdowns in a single season...Completed 28-of-33 passes (84.8 percent) for 426 yards, five touchdowns and zero interceptions vs. Atlanta (10/6)...This performance marked the first time in NFL history a player threw for at least 400 yards and five touchdowns with five-or-fewer incompletions in a single game...Set Texans career postseason records in passing yards (870), passing touchdowns (four) and postseason completions (80) in 2019...Selected with the 12th overall pick of the 2017 NFL Draft...Led Clemson to back-to-back national championship appearances, lifting the Tigers to their second-ever title following the 2016 season.

WIDE RECEIVERS (11)

11 STEVEN MITCHELL JR. 5-10 186 2nd season Southern California

Second-year wide receiver who appeared in three games (one start) and notched two receptions for 37 yards (18.5 avg.) in 2019...Spent the first eight weeks of the season on the Texans practice squad...Initially entered the league as a college free agent with the Los Angeles Rams on May 1, 2018 and spent Weeks 1-7 of the 2018 season on the Rams practice squad.

12 KENNY STILLIS 6-1 202 8th season Oklahoma

Appeared in 107 games (77 starts) with the Texans, Dolphins and Saints in his eight-year career...Acquired by the Texans in a trade with the Miami Dolphins on Aug. 31, 2019...Amassed 4,699 yards and 36 touchdowns on 299 receptions during his NFL career...Averaged the second-best yards per reception (15.7) since entering the league in 2013 (min. 200 catches)...Has 25 career touchdown receptions of more than 20 yards, which is tied for the second-most in the NFL since 2013...Posted three receptions for 80 receiving yards (26.7 avg.), including a Texans postseason-long 54-yard touchdown reception in the Divisional Round at Kansas City (1/12/20)...Originally drafted by the New Orleans Saints in the fifth round (144th overall) of the 2013 NFL Draft.

13 BRANDIN COOKS 5-10 183 7th season Oregon State

Acquired by the Texans in a trade with the Los Angeles Rams on April 10, 2020...Totaled 5,730 receiving yards and 34 touchdowns on 402 receptions (14.3 avg.) in his 88-game career...One of four players in NFL history to record at least three 1,000-plus receiving yard seasons prior to turning 25 (Randy Moss, John Jeffer-

son and Odell Beckham Jr.)...Became the first player in NFL history to record three consecutive seasons 1,000-yard seasons on three different teams (New Orleans, New England and L.A. Rams)...Appeared in back-to-back Super Bowls (LII, LIII) with the Patriots and Rams, totaling 143 receiving yards...Owns the fourth-highest yards-per-reception average (14.3) since entering the league in 2014 (min. 400 receptions)...Originally drafted by the New Orleans Saints in the first round (20th overall) of the 2014 NFL Draft.

14 DeANDRE CARTER 5-8 190 3rd season Sacramento State

Appeared in 16 games (three starts) and both playoff appearances in 2019 with the Texans...Finished the season with 14 kickoff returns for 308 yards (22.0 avg.), 22 punt returns for 214 yards (9.7 avg.) and added 11 receptions for 162 yards (14.7 avg.)...His 9.7 yards per punt return average was the third-best average in the NFL among qualified returners...Established a new single-game career high with 65 receiving yards vs. Tennessee (12/29)...Also spent time with Philadelphia, Baltimore, Oakland, New England and San Francisco...Originally signed by the Ravens as a college free agent in 2015.

15 WILL FULLER V 6-0 184 5th season Notre Dame

Established new single-season career highs in receptions (49) and receiving yards (670) after appearing in 11 games (11 starts) in 2019...Recorded single-game career highs with 217 receiving yards and three touchdowns on 14 receptions (15.5 avg.) vs. Atlanta (10/6)...His three touchdowns and 14 receptions both tied single-game franchise records...Also became the fourth player in NFL history with at least 14 receptions, 200 receiving yards and three touchdowns in a game...His career 14.3 yards per reception average ranks first in Texans history among players with at least 150 receptions...Selected by the Texans with the 21st overall pick in the 2016 NFL Draft...Had 144 catches for 2,512 receiving yards (17.4 avg.) and 30 touchdowns in his Fighting Irish career.

16 KEKE COUTEE 5-11 187 3rd season Texas Tech

Appeared in a career-high nine games (four starts) and hauled in 22 receptions for 254 yards (11.5 avg.) in his second season...In his rookie season he set franchise records for most receptions (11) and receiving yards (109) in his NFL debut at Indianapolis (9/30)...His 11 receptions were the most by a rookie receiver in his NFL debut since the NFL/AFL merger...Selected with the third pick in the fourth round (103rd overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft...Caught 159 passes for 2,424 yards (15.2 avg.) and 17 touchdowns in 38 career games for the Red Raiders.

17 CHAD HANSEN 6-2 202 2nd season California

Spent Weeks 4-17 on the Texans practice squad in 2019 after joining the team in the offseason...Was a member of the Patriots, Titans and Broncos practice squads in 2018...Appeared in 15 games (one start) for the Jets in 2017, finishing his rookie campaign with nine receptions for 94 yards (10.4 avg.)...Drafted by the Jets with the 35th pick in the fourth round (141st overall) of the 2017 NFL Draft out of the University of California, Berkeley.

18 RANDALL COBB 5-10 195 10th season Kentucky

Joined the Texans as an unrestricted free agent after spending his first nine NFL seasons with the Packers and Cowboys...In 120 games (79 starts) he has amassed 6,352 receiving yards, 363 rushing yards, 1,926 kickoff return yards and 866 punt return yards...Became the fourth player in NFL history to record at least 6,000 receiving yards, 1,900 kickoff return yards and 800 punt return yards...Notched his highest single-season yards per reception average (15.1) in 2019 and finished 11th in the NFL (min. 50 receptions)...Totaled 2,342 all-purpose yards in 2012 with the Packers, which is the second-most in a single-season since 2012...Drafted by the Green Bay Packers in the second round (64th overall) of the 2011 NFL Draft.

19 ISAAC WHITNEY 6-2 204 2nd season Southern California

Spent the entire 2019 season on the Reserve/Injured list...Came to the Texans when he signed to the practice squad on Sept. 18, 2018, where he spent Weeks 3-17 of the 2018 season...Initially entered the league as a college free agent with the Raiders in 2017 where he spent 12 weeks on the practice squad and appeared in two contests as a reserve wide receiver...Spent two seasons at USC, where he played football and ran track...As a senior, pulled in three catches for 32 yards on the football team and helped the 400-meter relay team to a second-place finish at the Pac-12 Championships.

22 ISAIAH COULTER 6-2 198 Rookie Rhode Island

Selected by the Texans in the fifth round (171st overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft...Played three seasons (2017-19) at the University of Rhode Island, and appeared in 34 career games (26 starts)...Finished his college career with 1,855 receiving yards and 12 touchdowns on 132 catches (14.1 avg.)...Recorded 1,039 receiving yards in 2019 for the Rams, becoming the seventh player in program history to top 1,000 receiving yards in a season.

86 TYLER SIMMONS 6-0 201 Rookie Georgia

Signed by the Texans as a college free agent after the 2020 NFL Draft...Played four seasons (2016-19) at the University of Georgia, where he totaled 35 receptions for 438 yards (12.5 avg.) and three touchdowns...Part of a senior class that won 44-of-56 games.

PLAYER QUICK NOTES

RUNNING BACKS/FULLBACKS (6)

24 KARAN HIGDON JR. 5-10 202 1st season Michigan

Spent the entire 2019 season on the Texans practice squad...Joined the Texans as a college free agent following the 2019 NFL Draft...Rushed for 2,616 yards and 27 touchdowns in 39 games at Michigan...Earned First Team All-Big Ten honors and was a semifinalist for the Doak Walker and Maxwell Awards during his senior season in 2018 after tallying 1,178 rushing yards and 10 touchdowns.

25 DUKE JOHNSON 5-9 210 6th season Miami (Fla.)

Acquired by the Texans in a trade with the Cleveland Browns on Aug. 8, 2019... Appeared in 16 games (three starts) and posted a single-season career-high 410 rushing yards and two touchdowns on 83 carries (4.4 avg.), while adding 44 receptions for 410 yards (9.3 avg.) and three touchdowns in 2019...Became just the fourth player in Texans history to record 400-plus rushing yards and 400-plus receiving yards in a single season...Played in 80 games (12 starts) in his career and has rushed for 1,696 yards with seven touchdowns, in addition to 2,580 receiving yards and 11 receiving touchdowns...His 2,580 receiving yards ranks second among running backs since entering the league in 2015...He is only the sixth running back in NFL history to post at least 50 receptions in each of his first three seasons...Originally drafted by the Browns with the 13th pick of the third round (77th overall) in the 2015 NFL Draft.

31 DAVID JOHNSON 6-1 224 6th season Northern Iowa

Traded to the Texans on March 21, 2020 in a deal with the Arizona Cardinals... Played in 13 games (nine starts) and finished with 345 yards and two touchdowns on 98 carries (3.7 avg.) along with 36 receptions for 370 yards (10.3 avg.) and four touchdowns...Played in 62 games (47 starts) in his career, amassing 5,969 all-purpose yards (3,128 rushing; 2,219 receiving; 622 kickoff return) and 49 total TDs (33 rushing; 15 receiving; 1 kickoff return)...Became just the fifth player in NFL history with at least 30 rushing touchdowns and 15 receiving touchdowns in his first five seasons...His 49 total touchdowns since entering the league in 2015 are the third-most in the NFL over that span...In 2016 with the Cardinals, he became the first player in NFL history to post 100-plus scrimmage yards in each of the first 15 games of a season...Selected by the Cardinals in the third round (86th overall) of the 2015 NFL Draft.

38 BUDDY HOWELL 6-1 218 3rd season Florida Atlantic

Played in all 16 games in his second season with the Texans and notched five special teams tackles...Saw action in 15 games of his rookie season in 2018, contributing mostly on special teams where he finished tied for second on the team with nine special teams tackles, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery...Originally signed as a college free agent with the Dolphins in 2018, but was claimed off waivers by the Texans on Sept. 1, 2018.

40 SCOTTIE PHILLIPS 5-8 209 Rookie Mississippi

Signed by the Texans as a college free agent after the 2020 NFL Draft...Played his final two seasons (2018-19) at the University of Mississippi after transferring from Jones County Junior College, where he spent two seasons (2016-17)...In just two seasons at Ole Miss he finished 11th in school history in career rushing touchdowns (17) and 17th in rushing yards (1,470).

44 CULLEN GILLASPIA (FB) 6-2 235 2nd season Texas A&M

Played in every game of his rookie season, including two playoff contests...Saw limited action on offense, but mostly contributed on special teams finishing fifth on the team with six total special teams tackles...Selected with the sixth pick of the seventh round (220th overall) in the 2019 NFL Draft...Spent five seasons at Texas A&M, joined as a walk-on in 2014 and earned a scholarship in 2016...Served as the Aggies' 12th man in every game of the 2016, 2017 and 2018 seasons, a tradition where a walk-on special teams player wears the No. 12 jersey to represent the entire student body...Became the first 12th man to be selected in the NFL Draft...Appeared in 41 games, primarily on special teams, but transitioned to fullback during his senior season in 2018.



TIGHT ENDS (5)

81 KAHALE WARRING 6-5 252 2nd season San Diego State

Spent the entire 2019 season on the Reserve/Injured list...Selected with the 23rd pick of the third round (86th overall) in the 2019 NFL Draft...Notched 51 receptions for 637 yards (12.5 avg.) and eight touchdowns in three seasons at San Diego State...Earned honorable mention all-Mountain West Conference honors following his junior season in 2018...Initially joined as a walk-on before earning a scholarship in 2017.

83 JORDAN THOMAS 6-5 277 3rd season Mississippi State

Appeared in five games (two starts) in 2019 after spending Weeks 1-11 on the Reserve/Injured list...Tied Andre Johnson (four) for the second-most touchdown receptions in a season by a rookie in franchise history in 2018...Selected with the 37th pick in the sixth round (211th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft...Caught 31 passes for 311 yards (10.0 avg.) and four touchdowns in 25 career games at Mississippi State...Saw most of his action at wide receiver, but also played tight end for the Bulldogs...Prior to Mississippi State, he played tight end, offensive tackle and defensive end at East Central Community College in Decatur, Miss.

84 DYLAN STAPLETON 6-5 242 Rookie James Madison

Signed by the Texans as a college free agent after the 2020 NFL Draft...Played two seasons (2016-17) at Division II's Slippery Rock University prior to transferring to James Madison for his final two collegiate seasons (2018-19)...Started in all 16 games for James Madison in 2019, helping them to an FCS National Championship appearance...Earned a Second Team All-CAA selection and VaSID First Team All-State honors after logging 35 receptions for 426 yards (12.2 avg.) as a senior...Played in 21 games (one start) during his freshman and sophomore seasons at Slippery Rock, totaling 310 receiving yards.

87 DARREN FELLS 6-7 270 7th season California-Irvine

In his first season with the Texans last year, he established single-season career highs in receptions (34), receiving yards (341) and receiving touchdowns (7)... Appeared in 16 games (14 starts) and set a new franchise record for touchdown receptions (7) by a tight end in a single season...He also started in both postseason contests and caught seven passes for 59 yards (8.4 avg.) and one touchdown...Has racked up 1,171 yards and 17 touchdowns on 102 receptions (11.5 avg.) in 87 career games (63 starts) for four NFL franchises, including the Cardinals, Lions and Browns...Originally entered the league as a free agent with the Seahawks before being signed by the Cardinals in 2013.

88 JORDAN AKINS 6-4 243 3rd season Central Florida

Appeared in all 16 games (nine starts) in 2019 and established new single-season career highs in receptions (36), receiving yards (418) and touchdowns (two)...Set single-game career highs in receptions (three), receiving yards (73) and touchdowns (two) at L.A. Chargers (9/22)...In 2018, he finished his rookie season with 17 receptions for 225 yards (13.2 avg.)...Selected with the 34th pick of the third round (98th overall) in the 2018 NFL Draft...Also selected by the Texas Rangers in the third round of the 2010 MLB Draft as an outfield prospect...Hit 24 home runs and stole 42 bases in 321 minor league games before attending Central Florida.

PLAYER QUICK NOTES

OFFENSIVE LINE (15)

63 RODERICK JOHNSON 6-6 306 4th season **Florida State**

Played in a single-season career-high 16 games (three starts) in his second season with the Texans, while also seeing action in both playoff contests...Made his NFL debut and participated on special teams in 2018...Claimed off waivers by the Texans on June 20, 2018...Originally selected by the Browns in the fifth round (160th overall) of the 2017 NFL Draft...Earned All-America and first-team All-ACC recognition in 2015 and 2016 at Florida State.

64 SENIO KELEMETE 6-3 301 8th season **Washington**

Started in one game in 2019 before being placed on the Reserve/Injured list...Started 15 games at left guard in 2018 as part of an offensive line that blocked for the eighth-best rushing total in the league...Spent five seasons (2013-17) with the Saints and one season prior with the Cardinals (2012)...Has played in 74 career games (27 starts)...Originally drafted by the Arizona Cardinals in the fifth round (151st overall) of the 2012 NFL Draft.

65 GREG MANCZ 6-4 302 6th season **Toledo**

Played in nine regular season games (one start) primarily on special teams and as a reserve offensive lineman in 2019...Appeared in all 16 games (four starts) of 2018 and contributed in the Wild Card Round vs. Indianapolis (1/5/19)...Started all 16 regular season games and both postseason contests in 2016, making him the only Texans lineman to start every game of the year...Has participated in 54 games (28 starts) with the Texans since entering the league...Signed by the Texans as a college free agent following the 2015 NFL Draft.

66 NICK MARTIN 6-4 295 5th season **Notre Dame**

Started in all 16 games for the second-consecutive season, blocking for a rushing attack that recorded the second-highest yards per carry (4.63) in franchise history...Started all 16 games at center for the first time in his career in 2018...Made his NFL debut and started 14 games at center in 2017...Placed on the Reserve/Injured list on Aug. 30 and missed the entire 2016 season...Selected by the Texans with the 19th pick in the second round (50th overall) of the 2016 NFL Draft...Played four seasons (2012-15) at the University of Notre Dame, appearing in 50 games (37 starts).

67 CHARLIE HECK 6-8 311 Rookie **North Carolina**

Selected by the Texans in the fourth round (126th overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft...Spent four seasons at North Carolina, appearing in 43 games (34 starts) at both left and right tackle...Earned second-team All-ACC honors after surrendering only one half-sack in his entire senior season...His father, Andy Heck, is currently the offensive line coach for the Kansas City Chiefs.

68 KYLE MURPHY 6-6 305 4th season **Stanford**

Spent Weeks 7-17 on the Texans practice squad in 2019...Spent time on the Packers' Reserve/Injured list and Rams practice squad during the 2018 season...Played in six games (three starts) for the Packers from 2016-17...Selected by the Packers in the sixth round (200th overall) of the 2016 NFL Draft...Played four years (2012-15) at Stanford University where he appeared in 54 games.

70 CORDEL IWUAGWU 6-3 309 Rookie **TCU**

Signed by the Texans as a college free agent after the 2020 NFL Draft...Spent five seasons (2015-19) at TCU, appearing in 39 games (32 starts) at left guard over his collegiate career...Earned an Honorable-Mention All-Big 12 selection after starting all 12 games his senior season in 2019.

71 TYTUS HOWARD 6-5 322 2nd season **Alabama State**

Started all eight games his rookie season before being placed on the Reserve/Injured list...Started at right tackle in Weeks 5-6 and was part of an offensive line that did not allow a sack in consecutive weeks for the first time since 2014 (Weeks 1-2)...Selected with the 23rd pick of the first round in the 2019 NFL Draft...Became the first offensive lineman drafted in the first round by the Texans since 2008...A three-year starter and three-year captain at Alabama State...Earned FCS First-Team All-America honors from HERO Sports during his senior season in 2018.

72 RICK LEONARD 6-7 311 1st season **Florida State**

Spent the entire 2019 season as a member of the Texans practice squad...Spent the 2018 season on the practice squads of the Saints, Rams and Cardinals...Originally selected by the Saints with the 27th pick in the fourth round (127th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft.

73 ZACH FULTON 6-5 321 7th season **Tennessee**

Entering his third season with the Texans...Started 15 regular season games in 2019, along with both postseason contests...Started at right guard in the Wild Card game vs. Buffalo (1/4/20)...Has appeared in 91 career games with 74 starts...Originally selected by the Chiefs with the 17th pick in the sixth round (193rd overall) of the 2014 NFL Draft.

74 MAX SCHARPING 6-6 327 2nd season **Northern Illinois**

Played in all 16 games (14 starts) as a rookie at left guard and helped the rushing

attack average 4.63 yards per carry, which marked the second-best clip in Texans history and the most since 2010...Selected with the 23rd pick of the second round (55th overall) in the 2019 NFL Draft...Started every game of his four-year career at Northern Illinois after redshirting in 2014...Earned All-MAC honors at right tackle in 2016 and left tackle in 2017...Did not miss a snap during his senior season in 2018.

75 ELIJAH NKANSAH 6-5 315 1st season **Toledo**

Spent the first three weeks of the season on the Seahawks practice squads prior to joining the Texans practice squads for Weeks 5-16...Did not see game action in Week 17 and was inactive for both playoff games...Appeared in one game during the 2018 season for Seattle...Originally signed as a college free agent with the Titans on May 11, 2018.

76 BRENT QVALE 6-7 315 6th season **Nebraska**

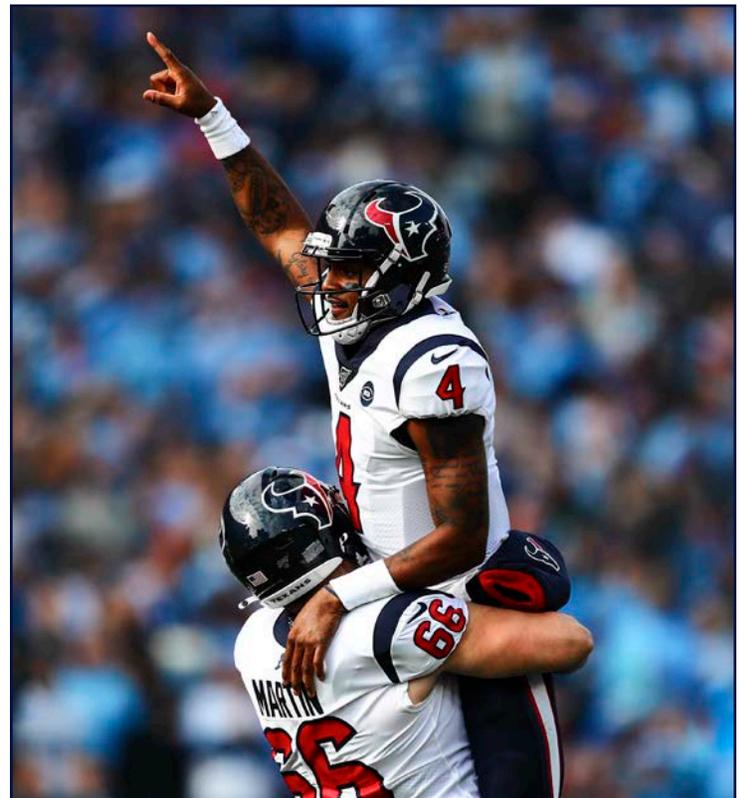
Signed by the Texans as an unrestricted free agent on March 21, 2020...Played in 63 games (15 starts) at both guard and tackle in five seasons with the Jets...Appeared in the final three games (one start) with the Jets in 2019 after spending Weeks 1-14 on the Reserve/Injured list...Originally signed by the Jets as a college free agent on May 11, 2014.

77 JERALD HAWKINS 6-6 305 5th season **Louisiana State**

Signed by the Texans on Aug. 10, 2020...Spent the 2019 season with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers and saw action in one contest...Spent his first three NFL seasons with the Pittsburgh Steelers and appeared in five games (one start) during the 2017 season...Selected by the Pittsburgh Steelers with the 24th pick in the fourth round (123rd overall) of the 2016 NFL Draft.

78 LAREMY TUNSIL 6-5 313 5th season **Mississippi**

Acquired by the Texans in a trade with the Miami Dolphins on Sept. 1, 2019...Recorded his first career Pro Bowl selection in his first season with Houston...Started 14 regular season games and both playoff games in 2019...Started at left tackle in Weeks 5-6 and was part of an offensive line that did not allow a sack in consecutive weeks for the first time since 2014 (Weeks 1-2)...Played his first three seasons with the Dolphins and started 44-of-48 regular season games on the offensive line...Originally selected by the Dolphins in the first round (13th overall) of the 2016 NFL Draft...Earned second-team All-America honors at Mississippi in back-to-back seasons (sophomore and junior).



PLAYER QUICK NOTES

SECONDARY (15)

20 JUSTIN REID 6-1 203 3rd season **Stanford**

Started 15 games during the regular season, as well as both postseason contests in 2019...Finished his second NFL season with 78 total tackles (57 solo), five passes defended, two interceptions, one fumble recovery and one tackle for loss...Totaled five interceptions in his first two seasons, which is tied for the second most in franchise history through two seasons...His 159 total tackles are the second-most by a Texans defensive back within their first two seasons... In his rookie season, he finished tied for the team lead with three interceptions, including one returned 101 yards for a touchdown, which tied for the second-longest interception return touchdown by a rookie in league history, trailing only Pete Barnum's 103-yard return in 1926...Selected by the Texans in the third round (68th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft.

21 BRADLEY ROBY 5-11 194 7th season **Ohio State**

Re-signed by the Texans on March 21, 2020...Started 10 games in his first season with the Texans after being signed as an unrestricted free agent in March 2019...Amassed 38 total tackles (35 solo), eight passes defended, two interceptions, two tackles for loss, one forced fumble and 1.0 sack...Grabbed his first pick-six as a member of the Texans in Week 16 at Tampa Bay (12/21)...Amassed 273 total tackles (245 solo), 68 passes defended, nine interceptions, 10 tackles for loss, eight forced fumbles, three fumble recoveries and three interceptions returned for touchdowns in 89 career games played (39 starts)...One of four players with 60 passes defended and three interceptions returned for touchdowns since entering the league in 2014...Super Bowl 50 Champion...Originally selected by the Broncos with the 31st pick in the first round of the 2014 NFL Draft...Played four seasons for the Buckeyes and tallied 44 passes defended and eight interceptions.

22 GAREON CONLEY 6-0 190 4th season **Ohio State**

Acquired by the Texans in a trade with the Oakland Raiders on Oct. 22, 2019...Started in all six games with the Raiders before being traded to the Texans where he played in the final eight games (six starts) of the regular season and started both playoff games...Tallied 50 total tackles (36 solo), 11 passes defended and one interception in 2019 with both the Raiders and Texans...Recorded three passes defended in his first career postseason start in the Wild Card Round vs. Buffalo (1/4/20), becoming the fourth player in franchise history to notch at least three pass defenses in a postseason game...Played in 17 games with the Raiders his first two seasons after being selected with the 24th overall pick in the first round of the 2017 NFL Draft.

23 ERIC MURRAY 5-11 199 5th season **Minnesota**

Fifth-year pro who signed with the Texans on March 21, 2020 as an unrestricted free agent from the Browns...Saw action in nine games (four starts) with the Browns last season and finished the season with 23 total tackles (15 solo), three tackles for loss, 1.0 sack, one quarterback hit and one pass defended...Had his best season as a pro in 2018 with the Chiefs when he played in 15 games (nine starts) and added 55 total tackles (43 solo), two passes defended, one tackle for loss and the lone interception of his career...Originally selected by the Chiefs in the fourth round (106th overall) of the 2016 NFL Draft.

26 VERNON HARGREAVES III 5-10 204 5th season **Florida**

Started nine games with the Buccaneers in 2019 prior to being waived and claimed by the Texans, where he played in six regular season games (two starts) and started both playoff games...Ended the season with 61 total tackles (52 solo), six passes defended, one interception returned for a touchdown, one fumble recovery and a tackle for loss...Spent the first three seasons of his career as a Buccaneer and had his most successful season as a rookie when he earned 2016 PFWA All-Rookie Team honors...Selected by the Buccaneers with the 11th overall pick in the first round of the 2016 NFL Draft...Named a unanimous All-American selection in his final season as a Gator in 2015.

27 JAYLEN WATKINS 5-11 194 6th season **Florida**

Sixth-year pro entering his first season with the Texans after being signed as a free agent in March 2020...Spent the past two seasons with the L.A. Chargers and appeared in 14 games (three starts), totaling 26 tackles (18 solo)...Played in 12 regular season games (one start) and all three postseason games for the Eagles in 2017, helping them win the 2018 Super Bowl...Selected by the Eagles in the fourth round (101st overall) of the 2014 NFL Draft...Brother, Sammy, is a wide receiver for the Kansas City Chiefs.

28 MICHAEL THOMAS 5-11 195 7th season **Stanford**

Joined the Texans as an unrestricted free agent signing on April 27, 2020...Veteran safety who has appeared in 88 games (33 starts) for the Dolphins and Giants, totaling 223 tackles (160 solo), 11 tackles for loss, 2.0 sacks, three interceptions, 15 passes defended, four quarterback hits, one forced fumble, one fumble recovery along with 74 special teams tackles (57 solo)...Saw action in 16 games (two starts) for the Giants in 2019 and notched 40 total tackles (28 solo), three passes defended, three tackles for loss and seven special teams tackles...Entered the NFL as a college free agent signing with the San Francisco 49ers in 2012...Attended Nimitz High School in Houston and gave the 2020 commencement speech to the graduating class.

29 PHILLIP GAINES 6-0 193 7th season **Rice**

Played in six games (two starts) for the Texans in 2019 after being signed prior to Week 2...In his seven-year career he has appeared in 58 games (24 starts) and recorded 143 total tackles (124 solo), 18 passes defended, eight tackles for loss, two forced fumbles and one interception with four different teams...Originally selected by the Kansas City Chiefs in the third round (87th overall) of the 2014 NFL Draft...Played five seasons (2009-13) at Rice University in Houston and finished with the most passes defended in program history (38).

30 CORNELL ARMSTRONG 6-0 185 3rd season **Southern Miss**

Saw action in five games, totaling four tackles (three solo) in his first season with the Texans...Played in 15 games for the Dolphins in 2018 as a reserve cornerback and notched six solo tackles...Selected by the Miami Dolphins in the sixth round (209th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft...Appeared in 47 games (40 starts) for Southern Mississippi in four seasons (2014-17) and finished his career with 146 total tackles (108 solo).

32 LONNIE JOHNSON JR. 6-2 213 2nd season **Kentucky**

Appeared in 14 regular season games (seven starts) and both postseason contests (one start) during his rookie season...Tallied 38 total tackles (31 solo), seven passes defended and three special teams tackles in 2019...Recovered a blocked punt and returned it for a touchdown in the Divisional Round at Kansas City (1/12/20)...Selected with the 22nd pick of the second round (54th overall) in the 2019 NFL Draft...Played two seasons at Kentucky (2017-18) after transferring from junior college.

33 A.J. MOORE JR. 5-11 200 3rd season **Mississippi**

Played in all 16 regular season games and both playoff contests and led the team with a single-season career-high 12 special teams tackles...Finished with a team-leading 11 special teams tackles in 16 games as a rookie in 2018...Originally signed by the Patriots as a college free agent following the 2018 NFL Draft...Played four seasons at Mississippi (2014-17) and recorded 132 total tackles, 2.0 sacks, five passes defended, three fumble recoveries and two forced fumbles in 37 career games.

34 JOHN REID 5-10 187 Rookie **Penn State**

Selected by the Texans in the fourth round (141st overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft...Appeared in 51 career games (40 starts) and totaled 126 tackles (84 solo), 9.5 tackles for loss, seven interceptions and 37 passes defended for the Nittany Lions...Earned All-Big Ten honorable mention by the coaches and media after logging a career-high 37 total tackles (26 solo) and two interceptions (one returned for a touchdown) in his senior season at Penn State.

35 KEION CROSSEN 5-10 185 3rd season **Western Carolina**

Acquired by the Texans in a trade with the Patriots on Aug. 31, 2019...Played in every regular season game and both playoff matchups in his first season with the Texans...Notched a career-best eight total tackles (six solo) on defense, one quarterback hit one pass defended and five special teams tackles...Appeared in 11 games for the Patriots in 2018 and recorded seven tackles on defense and seven tackles on special teams...Originally selected by the Patriots in the seventh round (243rd overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft.

36 JONATHAN OWENS 5-11 210 2nd season **Missouri Western St.**

Made his NFL debut vs. Indianapolis (11/21) after signing to the Texans practice squad prior to Week 5 in 2019...Spent the entire 2018 season on the Cardinals Reserve/Injured list...Entered the NFL as a college free agent with the Cardinals in 2018...Played four seasons (2014-17) at Missouri Western State, appearing in 43 games and totaling 254 tackles (155 solo).

43 ANTHONY CHESLEY 6-0 190 1st season **Coastal Carolina**

Signed by the Texans to the practice squad where he spent Weeks 9-17 in 2019...Entered the league as a college free agent with the Bengals in 2019 and spent Weeks 1-7 on their practice squad...Played four seasons (2015-18) at Coastal Carolina where he saw action in 42 games and notched 140 total tackles (105 solo), two interceptions and 25 passes defended.



PLAYER QUICK NOTES



LINEBACKERS (13)

41 ZACH CUNNINGHAM 6-3 238 4th season Vanderbilt

Started all 16 regular season games and both playoff contests in 2019, finishing the season with 137 total tackles (95 solo), seven tackles for loss, 2.0 sacks, three quarterback hits, two passes defended and two fumble recoveries...His 137 total tackles led the AFC and was seventh in the NFL...Set a single-game career high with 16 total tackles (13 solo) vs. Indianapolis (11/21), which tied for the fourth-most total tackles in a game in Texans history...Finished 2018 tied for first in the NFL among second-year linebackers and tied for the team lead with a career-high 105 tackles (73 solo) and added five passes defended, one interception returned for a touchdown, three tackles for loss, two forced fumbles and one fumble recovery...Finished tied for second among all NFL rookies in total tackles in 2017 (82)...First player in franchise history to record 80 total tackles and eight special teams tackles in a single season...Drafted 57th overall in the 2017 NFL Draft.

48 NATE HALL 6-2 235 1st season Northwestern

Spent Weeks 14-17 on the Texans practice squad and Weeks 1 and 4-8 on the Bills practice squad in 2019...Signed by the Cowboys as a college free agent on May 1, 2019...Played four seasons at Northwestern (2015-18) and appeared in 48 games, totaling 259 tackles (151 solo), 30.5 tackles for loss, 5.0 sacks, five interceptions, 15 passes defended and two fumble recoveries.

49 DAVIN BELLAMY 6-5 259 1st season Georgia

Spent Weeks 4-17 of the 2019 season on the Bengals practice squad before signing to the Texans practice squad prior to the Divisional Round of the playoffs...Joined the Texans as a college free agent following the 2018 NFL Draft and spent the 2018 season on the practice squad...Compiled 135 total tackles (55 solo), five forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries and 13.0 sacks in 48 career games (27 starts) for the Bulldogs.

50 TYRELL ADAMS 6-2 230 5th season West Georgia

Entering his third season with the Texans after playing in five games (two starts) in 2019...Ended the season with 13 total tackles (seven solo) and one forced fumble...Made his first career start at Tampa Bay (12/21) and recorded his first career forced fumble...Contributed mostly on special teams in 2018, recording six special teams tackles and one blocked punt...Initially entered the league as a college free agent signing with the Seahawks...Tallied 220 total tackles, 22.5 tackles for loss, 3.0 sacks and four interceptions in 44 career games at West Georgia from 2011-14.

51 DYLAN COLE 6-0 237 4th season Missouri State

Saw action in 11 games in 2019, prior to being placed on the Reserve/Injured list on Nov. 23...Finished his third season with eight total tackles (six solo), one pass defended and one fumble recovery on defense while adding eight special teams tackles...In 2017, became the first rookie to record an interception for a touchdown in franchise history in 2017...Was also the only college free agent in the NFL with a pick-six in 2017 and the first rookie college free agent linebacker with an interception returned for a touchdown since Chase Blackburn did it for the Giants in 2005...Signed with the Texans as a college free agent following the 2017 NFL Draft.

52 JONATHAN GREENARD 6-3 263 Rookie Florida

Selected by the Texans in the third round (90th overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft...Spent four seasons at the University of Louisville (2015-18) prior to transferring to Florida for his final collegiate season (2019)...Played in 38 games over his college career, totaling 122 tackles (64 solo), 19.0 sacks, three interceptions and four forced fumbles...In his lone season as a Gator, he played in all 12 games and led the SEC with 9.5 sacks and 15.5 tackles for loss...Selected First-Team All-SEC by the coaches and AP as well as awarded SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week four separate times.

53 DUKE EJIOFOR 6-4 255 3rd season Wake Forest

Spent the entire 2019 season on the Reserve/Injured list...In 2018, he appeared in 12 games and recorded eight tackles (six solo), one tackle for loss, two quarterback hits, two passes defended and one fumble recovery as a rookie...Selected with the third pick in the sixth round (177th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft...The Houston native ranks third in Wake Forest history in career sacks and sixth in career tackles for loss...Tallied 128 total tackles (76 solo), 23.5 sacks, 41 tackles for loss, six pass breakups, two forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries and an interception in 42 career games for the Demon Deacons.

54 JACOB MARTIN 6-2 242 3rd season Temple

Acquired in a trade with the Seahawks prior to Week 1 and played in 14 games and both postseason contests in his first season with the Texans...Finished the season with 11 total tackles (six solo), three tackles for loss, 3.5 sacks, seven quarterback hits and one forced fumble...Notched 1.0 sack vs. Denver (12/8), which marked his third consecutive game with a sack for the first time in his career...Logged 1.0 sack for 19 yards and a fumble recovery in the Wild Card Round victory vs. Buffalo (1/4/20) in only his second career playoff game...Played in all 16 games for the Seahawks in his rookie season and accumulated six tackles (five solo), two tackles for loss, 3.0 sacks, eight quarterback hits, two forced fumbles and a fumble recovery...Originally selected by the Seahawks in the sixth round (186th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft.

55 BENARDRICK MCKINNEY 6-4 257 6th season Mississippi State

Started all 14 games he played in and finished second on the team with 101 total tackles (54 solo) for his second-consecutive season with 100-plus tackles...Added four tackles for loss, 1.0 sack, four quarterback hits, three passes defended, one forced fumble and two fumble recoveries...Now recorded 488 total tackles in his career, which is good for fourth in franchise history...Started all 16 games in 2018 and tied for the team lead with 105 total tackles, helping him earn his first career Pro Bowl selection...Finished sixth in the league in total tackles among all players with 3.0-or-more sacks in 2017...Ranked 11th in the NFL in tackles with a team-leading and career-high 129 in 2016...Compiled the eighth-most tackles (129) in a single season in team history in 2016...Named Associated Press Second Team All-Pro in 2016...Became the only player in the NFL and second player in franchise history with at least 100 tackles and 5.0 sacks in a season in 2016...Drafted by the Texans in the second round (43rd overall) in 2015.

56 JAN JOHNSON 6-2 231 Rookie Penn State

Signed by the Texans as a college free agent after the 2020 NFL Draft out of Penn State...Appeared in 33 games (26 starts), totaling 150 tackles (72 solo), 7.0 tackles for loss, 1.5 sacks, two interceptions, five passes defended, one forced fumble and two fumble recoveries...Named All-Big Ten honorable mention after his senior season in which he set career-highs in tackles for loss (4.5) and passes defended (3)...Member of the 2017 National Championship wrestling team for the Nittany Lions.

57 BRENNAN SCARLETT 6-4 263 5th season Stanford

Played in 15 games (10 starts) in 2019 and established single-season career highs in total tackles (48), tackles for loss (three), sacks (3.5), quarterback hits (six) and forced fumbles (two)...Notched 2.0 sacks against Jacksonville in London (11/3), which marked his second career game with multiple sacks...In 2018 he recorded 12 total tackles (eight solo), two quarterback hits, three passes defended and notched the first interception of his career and his first forced fumble...Has appeared in 45 games (18 starts) over his four seasons with the Texans...Also established himself as a key figure on special teams as he has recorded 15 tackles and one fumble recovery on special teams since 2016...Signed by the Texans as a college free agent following the 2016 NFL Draft.

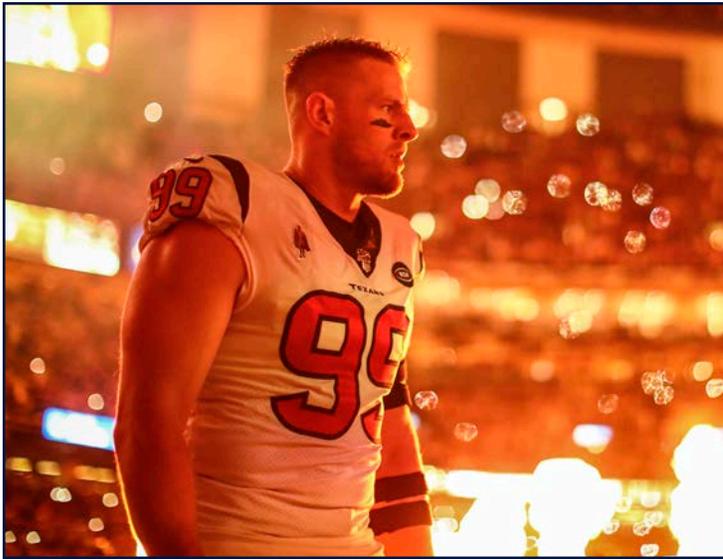
58 PETER KALAMBAYI 6-3 254 3rd season Stanford

Appeared in 16 games in his second season and tied for third on the team with eight special teams tackles...Saw action in 15 games as a rookie in 2018, totaling five tackles on defense and eight special teams tackles...Selected by the Texans in the sixth round (214th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft...Played four seasons (2014-17) at Stanford where he was a two-year captain and racked up 190 tackles, 18.5 sacks, 28 tackles for loss, eight pass breakups, two forced fumbles and an interception in 54 career games.

59 WHITNEY MERCILUS 6-4 258 9th season Illinois

Started all 16 games of the 2019 season and contributed a single-season career-high four forced fumbles...Named Associated Press Second Team All-Pro in 2016...Ranks third in franchise history with 50.0 sacks...Franchise postseason sack leader with 7.0, which is the second-most in the NFL since 2015...Has 12 career games with 2.0-or-more sacks...Became the first player in franchise history and the fifth player in the NFL since 1982 to post two games with 3.5-or-more sacks in a season in 2015...Recorded the most sacks (3.0) in a postseason game in Texans history (Wild Card Game vs. Kansas City 1/9/16)...Tied the franchise rookie record with 6.0 sacks in 2012...Has played in 115 games (88 starts) with the Texans and has amassed 315 total tackles, 63 tackles for loss, 50.0 sacks, 105 quarterback hits, 13 forced fumbles, seven fumble recoveries and six passes defended since entering the league in 2012...Selected by the Texans with the 26th overall pick in the first round of the 2012 NFL Draft.

PLAYER QUICK NOTES



DEFENSIVE LINE (9)

90 ROSS BLACKLOCK 6-3 290 **Rookie** **TCU**

Selected by the Texans in the second round (40th overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft...Spent four seasons (2016-19) at TCU where he played in 26 games and racked up 67 total tackles (39 solo), 15.5 tackles for loss and 5.5 sacks...Named First-Team All-Big 12 and 2019 Second-Team AP All-Big 12 in 2019 after totaling a team-high 3.5 sacks with 9.0 tackles for loss and a single-season career-high 40 total tackles (25 solo)...Named a 2017 Freshman All-American in 2017 by the FWAA after starting all 14 games and totaling 6.5 tackles for loss and 2.0 sacks.

91 CARLOS WATKINS 6-3 297 **4th season** **Clemson**

Played in 10 games (one start) in 2019 and totaled a single-season career-high 23 total tackles (10 solo) while also adding one tackle for loss, 1.0 sack, two quarterback hits, one pass defended and a fumble recovery...Tied a single-game career high with six total tackles (three solo) vs. Tennessee (12/29)...Has appeared in 26 games (seven starts) over his first three NFL seasons...Selected in the fourth round (142nd overall) of the 2017 NFL Draft...Was a two-time first-team All-ACC selection and a second-team AP All-American in 2016...Had 191 total tackles, 26 tackles for loss and 14.0 sacks over 53 games (30 starts) from 2012-16...His 10.5 sacks in 2016 are the most ever by a Clemson defensive tackle...Was a starter on the 2016 Clemson national championship team.

92 BRANDON DUNN 6-2 310 **5th season** **Louisville**

Played in all 16 games (six starts) for the Texans in 2019 for the second time in his career and tallied 25 total tackles (11 solo), one tackle for loss, 1.0 sack and four quarterback hits...Notched his first career sack at Tampa Bay (12/21) for a three yard loss...Intercepted Colts QB Andrew Luck in the Wild Card Round vs. Indianapolis (1/5/19) to become only the third interior defensive lineman to intercept a pass in a postseason contest since 2000...Has appeared in 63 games (24 starts) and has racked up 88 tackles (50 solo), eight tackles for loss, six quarterback hits, one forced fumble, one fumble recovery and one pass defended since entering the league in 2014...Originally signed by the Bears as a college free agent following the 2014 NFL Draft.

93 ALBERT HUGGINS 6-3 305 **2nd season** **Clemson**

Spent time on the Texans practice squad before being signed to the Eagles active roster and appearing in four games, logging three total tackles in 2019...Joined the Texans as a college free agent following the 2019 NFL Draft...Appeared in 46 games as a defensive tackle over four seasons at Clemson...Recorded 68 tackles (33 solo), 11.5 tackles for loss and 6.5 sacks during his career for the Tigers.

94 CHARLES OMENIHU 6-5 280 **2nd season** **Texas**

Saw action in 14 games as a rookie and recorded 13 total tackles (eight solo), two tackles for loss, 3.0 sacks, five quarterback hits, two passes defended and two forced fumbles...Tallied his first-career sack, which was a strip-sack in his first NFL game vs. Jacksonville (9/15)...Sacked Titans QB Ryan Tannehill on the final play of the game to clinch victory at Tennessee (12/15)...Became the fourth player in franchise history to tally 3.0 sacks and two forced fumbles in his rookie season...Selected with the 23rd pick of the fifth round (161st overall) in the 2019 NFL Draft...Appeared in 51 games (33 starts) over four seasons at the University of Texas and totaled 99 tackles (68 solo), 29.5 tackles for loss, 17.0 sacks, three forced fumbles and one fumble recovery...Awarded Big 12 Defensive Line-man of the Year and named first team All-Big 12 after his senior season in 2018.

96 P.J. HALL 6-0 305 **3rd season** **Sam Houston State**

Signed by the Texans on Aug. 13, 2020...Saw action in 16 games (12 starts) with the Oakland Raiders in 2019 and accumulated 26 total tackles (18 solo), five tackles for loss, 1.5 sacks and three quarterback hits... Registered his first career

full sack in Week 9 vs. Detroit (11/7) when he took down QB Matthew Stafford for a 10-yard loss with :30 left in the game... Selected by the Oakland Raiders with the 25th pick in the second round (57th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft.

97 ANGELO BLACKSON 6-4 319 **6th season** **Auburn**

Started a career-best 15 games and both playoff contests for the Texans in 2019...Compiled 20 total tackles (11 solo), two tackles for loss and one quarterback hit last season...Blocked field goals in consecutive weeks at Tennessee (12/15) and at Tampa Bay (12/21)...Became the first NFL player to block field goals in back-to-back weeks since Olivier Vernon in 2012...His blocked field goal at Tennessee (12/15) earned him AFC Special Teams Player of the Week honors...Played in all 16 games (four starts) of 2018 and posted career highs in tackles (24), passes defended (three) and fumble recoveries (one)...Originally selected by Tennessee with the first pick (100th overall) in the fourth round of the 2015 NFL Draft.

98 AUZOYAH ALUFOHAI 6-4 320 **Rookie** **West Georgia**

Signed by the Texans as a college free agent after the 2020 NFL Draft...Spent the first three seasons (2015-17) of his collegiate career at Kennesaw State University, before transferring to West Georgia where he played in 2019...In his lone season at West Georgia he set single-season career highs in tackles for loss (four) and sacks (2.0)...Originally born in Houston, but has also lived in Nigeria, Malaysia and Qatar.

99 J.J. WATT 6-5 288 **10th season** **Wisconsin**

Five-time Pro Bowl selection (2012-15, 2018) and 2014 Pro Bowl Captain...Five-time Associated Press First-Team All-Pro (2012-15, 2018)...Three-time Associated Press and PFWA NFL Defensive Player of the Year (2012, 2014, 2015)...Honored as the 2017 Walter Payton Man of the Year and the 2017 Sports Illustrated Person of the Year after raising more than \$37 million for Hurricane Harvey relief for Houston...Tied with Bruce Smith (96.0 sacks) for the third-most sacks through a player's first 112 career games in NFL history...In 2019, moved into sole 6th place for the most passes defended by a defensive lineman in NFL history (54)...Recorded 1.0 sack in the Wild Card Round vs. Buffalo (1/4/20) and moved into second in franchise history for the most postseason sacks (6.0)...In 2018, became the second-fastest NFL player (only behind Hall of Fame DE Reggie White) to reach 80.0 career sacks, doing so in his 92nd career game...Has recorded four career 15.0-sack seasons (2012, 2014, 2015, 2018), which is the second-most in the NFL since 1982, behind DE Reggie White...Owns the four highest single-season sack totals in team history (2012, 2014, 2015, 2018)...First defensive lineman since 1944 with five touchdowns in a season (2014)...Fourth player in NFL history with an interception return, fumble recovery and receiving touchdowns in the same season...Has amassed 479 total tackles (373 solo), 158 tackles for loss (leads the NFL since 2011), 96.0 sacks, 265 quarterback hits (leads the NFL since 2011), one interception (returned for a touchdown), 54 passes defended, 23 forced fumbles and 15 fumble recoveries since entering the league in 2011...The 11th overall pick in the 2011 NFL Draft.

SPECIALISTS (3)

7 K'IMI FAIRBAIRN (K) 6-0 183 **5th season** **UCLA**

Scored 100 points in 2019, connecting on 20-of-25 field goal attempts and 40-of-45 extra point attempts...Passed Neil Rackers for fifth on the franchise's all-time scoring list (259) and for the third-most field goals made (59)...Kicked the first game-winning field goal in the postseason in franchise history in the Wild Card Round vs. Buffalo (1/4/20)...Set franchise records and led the NFL in points scored (150) and field goals made (37) in 2018...Connected on his final 15 field goal attempts of the season...Became the first NFL kicker since 2000 to hit game-winning field goals in overtime in consecutive games...Made 11 straight field goal attempts to start the 2017 season, the most consecutive field goals made to start a Texans career in franchise history...Produced 92 points in 2017, which is the most by a first-year player in Texans history and the third-most by a rookie...Signed by the Texans as a college free agent on May 5, 2016...Played four seasons at UCLA (2012-15) and was the winner of the Lou Groza Award in 2015.

9 BRYAN ANGER (P) 6-3 205 **9th season** **California**

Posted a single-season career-high net punting average of 44.5 yards in his first season with the team...His two touchbacks was the lowest single-season amount in his career...Has recorded a 40.6 career net punting average ranks seventh in NFL history since 1976 (min. 250 attempts)...Has never missed a game, participating in all 126 possible games since entering the league in 2012...Originally drafted by the Jaguars in the third round (70th overall) of the 2012 NFL Draft...Spent the first seven years of his career with the Jaguars and Buccaneers and holds several Buccaneers franchise punting records.

46 JON WEEKS (LS) 5-10 242 **11th season** **Baylor**

Has handled 1,580 extra point, field goal and punt snaps and has contributed with 30 special teams tackles over 10 seasons with the team...Named to the 2015 Pro Bowl... Has played in every game since 2010 and is second in Texans history with 160 career games played...His streak of 160 consecutive regular season games played is the longest streak in Texans history...One of three players to play in every postseason game in Texans history...Re-signed with the Texans on March 21, 2020...Originally signed by the Texans in 2010 and made the roster out of training camp.

2020 TEXANS TRANSACTIONS



The Texans re-signed CB Bradley Roby on March 21, 2020 after amassing 38 total tackles (35 solo), two tackles for loss, 1.0 sack, one quarterback hit, two interceptions (one returned for a touchdown), eight passes defended and one forced fumble in his debut season for the Texans. Roby also started both postseason contests and notched his second career postseason game with multiple passes defended in the Wild Card Round win over Buffalo (1/4/20).

JANUARY

- 13 Signed OLB **Davin Bellamy**, CB **Anthony Chesley**, ILB **Nate Hall**, WR **Chad Hansen**, RB **Karan Higdon Jr.**, T **Rick Leonard**, S **Shalom Luani**, QB **Alex McGough**, T **Kyle Murphy** and S **Jonathan Owens** to reserve/future contracts.

FEBRUARY

- 14 Released CB **Vernon Hargreaves III**.
- 19 Signed NT **Brandon Dunn** to a contract extension.

MARCH

- 10 Signed K **Ka'imi Fairbairn** and TE **Darren Fells** to contract extensions.
- 11 Signed WR **DeAndre Carter** to a contract extension.
- 12 Tendered a qualifying offer to ILB **Dylan Cole**.
- 21 Agreed to trade for RB **David Johnson**, a 2020 second-round pick and a 2021 fourth-round pick from the Arizona Cardinals for WR **DeAndre Hopkins** and a 2020 fourth-round pick.
- 21 Agreed to terms to re-sign ILB **Tyrell Adams**, CB **Phillip Gaines**, CB **Vernon Hargreaves III**, T **Roderick Johnson**, QB **AJ McCarron**, CB **Bradley Roby** and LS **Jon Weeks**.
- 21 Agreed to terms with free agent WR **Randall Cobb**, S **Eric Murray**, T **Brent Qvale** and S **Jaylen Watkins**.

APRIL

- 10 Agreed to trade for WR **Brandin Cooks** and a 2022 fourth-round pick from the Los Angeles Rams for a 2020 second-round pick.
- 24 Signed T **Laremy Tunsil** to a contract extension.
- 24 Drafted DT **Ross Blacklock** (second round) and OLB **Jonathan Greenard** (third round) in the 2020 NFL Draft.
- 25 Drafted T **Charlie Heck** (fourth round), CB **John Reid** (fourth round) and WR **Isaiah Coulter** (fifth round) in the 2020 NFL Draft.
- 25 Traded a 2020 fourth-round pick to the Miami Dolphins for two 2020 fourth-round picks.
- 25 Traded a 2020 fourth-round pick and two 2020 seventh-round picks to the Los Angeles Rams for a 2020 fourth-round pick.
- 25 Traded a 2020 seventh-round pick to the New Orleans Saints for a 2021 sixth-round pick.
- 27 Signed free agent LS **Anthony Kukwa** and S **Michael Thomas**.
- 27 Signed free agent NT **Auzoyah Alufohai**, G **Cordel Iwuagwu**, ILB **Jan Johnson**, OLB **Jamir Jones**, RB **Scottie Phillips**, WR **Tyler Simmons**, TE **Dylan Stapleton**, QB **Nick Tiano** and C **Elex Woodworth**.
- 28 Released S **Tashaun Gipson Sr.**

JULY

- 14 Released OLB **Chris Landrum**.
- 21 Signed DT **Ross Blacklock**, WR **Isaiah Coulter**, OLB **Jonathan Greenard**, T **Charlie Heck** and CB **John Reid**.
- 27 Waived LS **Anthony Kukwa**, S **Shalom Luani**, DE **Ira Savage-Lewis**, QB **Nick Tiano** and C **Elex Woodworth**.
- 28 Claimed DT **Albert Huggins** off waivers from the Philadelphia Eagles.
- 28 Waived OLB **Jamir Jones**.
- 31 Placed ILB **Dylan Cole** and CB **Gareon Conley** on the Active/Physically Unable to Perform list.

AUGUST

- 8 Placed WR **Kenny Stills** on the Active/Non-Football Injury list and NT **Eddie Vanderdoes** on the Reserve/Opt-Out list.
- 10 Signed free agent G/T **Jerald Hawkins**.
- 10 CB **Gareon Conley** passed his physical and moved from the Active/Physically Unable to Perform list to the active roster.
- 10 Signed free agent NT **P.J. Hall**.
- 10 Waived T **David Steinmetz**.

HOW THE TEXANS WERE BUILT

Year	NFL Draft (25)	Trades (8)	Free Agents (47)
2010 6-10 3rd in AFC South			LS Jon Weeks (CFA)
2011 10-6 AFC South Champions	DE J.J. Watt (1)		
2012 12-4 AFC South Champions	OLB Whitney Mercilus (1)		
2013 2-14 4th in AFC South			
2014 9-7 2nd in AFC South			
2015 9-7 AFC South Champions	ILB Bernardrick McKinney (2)		NT Brandon Dunn (FA) C/G Greg Mancz (CFA)
2016 9-7 AFC South Champions	WR Will Fuller V (1) C Nick Martin (2)		K Ka'imi Fairbairn (CFA) OLB Brennan Scarlett (CFA)
2017 4-12 4th in AFC South	QB Deshaun Watson (1) ILB Zach Cunningham (2) DE Carlos Watkins (4b)		DT Angelo Blackson (FA) ILB Dylan Cole (CFA) (PUP)
2018 11-5 AFC South Champions	S Justin Reid (3a) TE Jordan Akins (3c) WR Keke Coutee (4) OLB Duke Ejirofor (6a) TE Jordan Thomas (6b) ILB Peter Kalambayi (6c)		ILB Tyrell Adams (FA) OLB Davin Bellamy (CFA) WR DeAndre Carter (W-PHI) C/G Zach Fulton (UFA-KC) RB Buddy Howell (W-MIA) T Roderick Johnson (W-CLE) G Senio Kelemete (UFA-NO) T Rick Leonard (FA) WR Steven Mitchell Jr. (FA) S A.J. Moore Jr. (W-NE) WR Isaac Whitney (FA)
2019 10-6 AFC South Champions	G/T Tytus Howard (1) CB Lonnie Johnson Jr. (2a) G/T Max Scharping (2b) TE Kahale Warring (3) DE Charles Omenihu (5) FB Cullen Gillaspia (7)	CB Gareon Conley (T-OAK) CB Keion Crossen (T-NE) RB Duke Johnson (T-CLE) OLB Jacob Martin (T-SEA) WR Kenny Stills (T-MIA) (NFI) T Laremy Tunsil (T-MIA)	P Bryan Anger (FA) CB Cornell Armstrong (FA) CB Anthony Chesley (FA) TE Darren Fells (FA) CB Phillip Gaines (FA) WR Chad Hansen (W-NO) ILB Nate Hall (FA) CB Vernon Hargreaves III (W-TB) RB Karan Higdon Jr. (CFA) DT Albert Huggins (CFA) QB AJ McCarron (FA) QB Alex McGough (FA) T Kyle Murphy (FA) T Elijah Nkansah (FA) S Jonathan Owens (FA) CB Bradley Roby (UFA-DEN)
2020	DT Ross Blacklock (2) OLB Jonathan Greenard (3) T Charlie Heck (4a) CB John Reid (4b) WR Isaiah Coulter (5)	WR Brandin Cooks (T-LAR) RB David Johnson (T-ARI)	NT Auzoyah Alufohai (CFA) WR Randall Cobb (UFA-DAL) G Cordel Iwuagwu (CFA) ILB Jan Johnson (CFA) NT P.J. Hall (FA) G/T Jerald Hawkins (FA) S Eric Murray (UFA-CLE) RB Scottie Phillips (CFA) T Brent Qvale (UFA-NYJ) WR Tyler Simmons (CFA) TE Dylan Stapleton (CFA) S Michael Thomas (FA) S Jaylen Watkins (UFA-LAC)

ROSTER BY POSITION

OFFENSE (40)

QUARTERBACKS (3)

2	AJ McCarron	QB	6-3	215	7	Alabama
3	Alex McGough	QB	6-3	214	1	Florida International
4	Deshaun Watson	QB	6-2	215	4	Clemson

WIDE RECEIVERS (11)

11	Steven Mitchell Jr.	WR	5-10	186	2	Southern California
12	<i>Kenny Stills (NFI)</i>	WR	6-1	202	8	Oklahoma
13	Brandin Cooks	WR	5-10	183	7	Oregon State
14	DeAndre Carter	WR	5-8	190	3	Sacramento State
15	Will Fuller V	WR	6-0	184	5	Notre Dame
16	Keke Coutee	WR	5-11	187	3	Texas Tech
17	Chad Hansen	WR	6-2	202	2	California
18	Randall Cobb	WR	5-10	195	10	Kentucky
19	Isaac Whitney	WR	6-2	204	2	Southern California
82	Isaiah Coulter	WR	6-2	198	R	Rhode Island
86	Tyler Simmons	WR	6-0	201	R	Georgia

RUNNING BACKS & FULLBACKS (6)

24	Karan Higdon Jr.	RB	5-10	202	1	Michigan
25	Duke Johnson	RB	5-9	210	6	Miami (Fla.)
31	David Johnson	RB	6-1	224	6	Northern Iowa
38	Buddy Howell	RB	6-1	218	3	Florida Atlantic
40	Scottie Phillips	RB	5-8	209	R	Mississippi
44	Cullen Gillaspia	FB	6-2	235	2	Texas A&M

TIGHT ENDS (5)

81	Kahale Warring	TE	6-5	252	2	San Diego State
83	Jordan Thomas	TE	6-5	277	3	Mississippi State
84	Dylan Stapleton	TE	6-5	242	R	James Madison
87	Darren Fells	TE	6-7	270	7	California-Irvine
88	Jordan Akins	TE	6-4	243	3	Central Florida

OFFENSIVE LINE (15)

63	Roderick Johnson	T	6-6	306	4	Florida State
64	Senio Kelemete	G	6-3	301	8	Washington
65	Greg Mancz	C/G	6-4	302	6	Toledo
66	Nick Martin	C	6-4	295	5	Notre Dame
67	Charlie Heck	T	6-8	311	R	North Carolina
68	Kyle Murphy	T	6-6	305	4	Stanford
70	Cordel Iwuagwu	G	6-3	309	R	TCU
71	Tytus Howard	G/T	6-5	322	2	Alabama State
72	Rick Leonard	T	6-7	311	1	Florida State
73	Zach Fulton	C/G	6-5	321	7	Tennessee
74	Max Scharping	G/T	6-6	327	2	Northern Illinois
75	Elijah Nkansah	T	6-5	315	1	Toledo
76	Brent Qvale	T	6-7	315	6	Nebraska
77	Jerald Hawkins	G/T	6-6	305	5	Louisiana State
78	Laremy Tunsil	T	6-5	313	5	Mississippi

DEFENSE (37)

DEFENSIVE LINE (9)

90	Ross Blacklock	DT	6-3	290	R	TCU
91	Carlos Watkins	DE	6-3	297	4	Clemson
92	Brandon Dunn	NT	6-2	310	5	Louisville
93	Albert Huggins	DT	6-3	305	2	Clemson
94	Charles Omenihu	DE	6-5	280	2	Texas
96	P.J. Hall	NT	6-0	305	3	Sam Houston State
97	Angelo Blackson	DT	6-4	319	6	Auburn
98	Auzoyah Alufohai	NT	6-4	320	R	West Georgia
99	J.J. Watt	DE	6-5	288	10	Wisconsin

LINEBACKERS (13)

41	Zach Cunningham	ILB	6-3	238	4	Vanderbilt
48	Nate Hall	ILB	6-2	235	1	Northwestern
49	Davin Bellamy	OLB	6-5	259	1	Georgia
50	Tyrell Adams	ILB	6-2	230	5	West Georgia
51	<i>Dylan Cole (PUP)</i>	ILB	6-0	237	4	Missouri State
52	Jonathan Greenard	OLB	6-3	263	R	Florida
53	Duke Ejirofor	OLB	6-4	255	3	Wake Forest
54	Jacob Martin	OLB	6-2	242	3	Temple
55	Benardrick McKinney	ILB	6-4	257	6	Mississippi State
56	Jan Johnson	ILB	6-2	231	R	Penn State
57	Brennan Scarlett	OLB	6-4	263	5	Stanford
58	Peter Kalambayi	ILB	6-3	254	3	Stanford
59	Whitney Mercilus	OLB	6-4	258	9	Illinois

SECONDARY (15)

20	Justin Reid	S	6-1	203	3	Stanford
21	Bradley Roby	CB	5-11	194	7	Ohio State
22	Gareon Conley	CB	6-0	190	4	Ohio State
23	Eric Murray	S	5-11	199	5	Minnesota
26	Vernon Hargreaves III	CB	5-10	204	5	Florida
27	Jaylen Watkins	S	5-11	194	6	Florida
28	Michael Thomas	S	5-11	195	7	Stanford
29	Phillip Gaines	CB	6-0	193	7	Rice
30	Cornell Armstrong	CB	6-0	185	3	Southern Miss
32	Lonnie Johnson Jr.	CB	6-2	213	2	Kentucky
33	A.J. Moore Jr.	S	5-11	200	3	Mississippi
34	John Reid	CB	5-10	187	R	Penn State
35	Keion Crossen	CB	5-10	185	3	Western Carolina
36	Jonathan Owens	S	5-11	210	2	Missouri Western St.
43	Anthony Chesley	CB	6-0	190	1	Coastal Carolina

SPECIAL TEAMS

SPECIALISTS (3)

7	Ka'imi Fairbairn	K	6-0	183	5	UCLA
9	Bryan Anger	P	6-3	205	9	California
46	Jon Weeks	LS	5-10	242	11	Baylor

ROSTER BY ROUND

The Texans have 52 players on their active roster who were drafted, including 10 former first-round picks, eight from the second round, eight from the third round, 10 former fourth-round picks, six former fifth-round picks, seven former sixth-round picks and three former seventh-round picks. There are also 28 college free agents on the Texans' 80-man active roster.

FIRST ROUND (10)

Pos.	Player	Year	Pick	Team
DE	J.J. Watt	2011	11	Houston
OLB	Whitney Mercilus	2012	26	Houston
WR	Brandin Cooks	2014	20	New Orleans
CB	Bradley Roby	2014	31	Denver
CB	Vernon Hargreaves III	2016	11	Tampa Bay
T	Laremy Tunsil	2016	13	Miami
WR	Will Fuller V	2016	21	Houston
QB	Deshaun Watson	2017	12	Houston
CB	Gareon Conley	2017	24	Oakland
G/T	Tytus Howard	2019	23	Houston

SECOND ROUND (8)

Pos.	Player	Year	Pick	Team
WR	Randall Cobb	2011	64	Green Bay
ILB	Benardrick McKinney	2015	43	Houston
C	Nick Martin	2016	50	Houston
ILB	Zach Cunningham	2017	57	Houston
NT	P.J. Hall	2018	57	Oakland
CB	Lonnie Johnson Jr.	2019	54	Houston
G/T	Max Scharping	2019	55	Houston
DT	Ross Blacklock	2020	40	Houston

THIRD ROUND (8)

Pos.	Player	Year	Pick	Team
P	Bryan Anger	2012	70	Jacksonville
CB	Phillip Gaines	2014	87	Kansas City
RB	Duke Johnson	2015	77	Cleveland
RB	David Johnson	2015	86	Arizona
S	Justin Reid	2018	68	Houston
TE	Jordan Akins	2018	98	Houston
TE	Kahale Warring	2019	86	Houston
OLB	Jonathan Greenard	2020	90	Houston

FOURTH ROUND (10)

Pos.	Player	Year	Pick	Team
S	Jaylen Watkins	2014	101	Philadelphia
DT	Angelo Blackson	2015	100	Tennessee
S	Eric Murray	2016	106	Kansas City
G/T	Jerald Hawkins	2016	123	Pittsburgh
WR	Chad Hansen	2017	141	N.Y. Jets
DE	Carlos Watkins	2017	142	Houston
WR	Keke Coutee	2018	103	Houston
T	Rick Leonard	2018	127	New Orleans
T	Charlie Heck	2020	126	Houston
CB	John Reid	2020	141	Houston

FIFTH ROUND (6)

Pos.	Player	Year	Pick	Team
G	Senio Kelemete	2012	151	Arizona
WR	Kenny Stills	2013	144	New Orleans
QB	AJ McCarron	2014	164	Cincinnati
T	Roderick Johnson	2018	160	Cleveland
DE	Charles Omenihu	2019	161	Houston
WR	Isaiah Coulter	2020	171	Houston

SIXTH ROUND (7)

Pos.	Player	Year	Pick	Team
C/G	Zach Fulton	2014	193	Kansas City
T	Kyle Murphy	2016	200	Green Bay
OLB	Duke Ejirofor	2018	177	Houston
OLB	Jacob Martin	2018	186	Seattle
CB	Cornell Armstrong	2018	209	Miami
TE	Jordan Thomas	2018	211	Houston
ILB	Peter Kalambayi	2018	214	Houston

SEVENTH ROUND (3)

Pos.	Player	Year	Pick	Team
QB	Alex McGough	2018	220	Seattle
CB	Keion Crossen	2018	243	New England
FB	Cullen Gillaspia	2019	220	Houston

COLLEGE FREE AGENTS (28)

Pos.	Player	Year	Team
LS	Jon Weeks	2010	Houston
S	Michael Thomas	2012	San Francisco
TE	Darren Fells	2013	Seattle
NT	Brandon Dunn	2014	Chicago
T	Brent Qvale	2014	N.Y. Jets
ILB	Tyrell Adams	2015	Seattle
WR	DeAndre Carter	2015	Baltimore
C/G	Greg Mancz	2015	Houston
K	Ka'imi Fairbairn	2016	Houston
OLB	Brennan Scarlett	2016	Houston
ILB	Dylan Cole	2017	Houston
WR	Isaac Whitney	2017	Oakland
OLB	Davin Bellamy	2018	Houston
RB	Buddy Howell	2018	Miami
WR	Steven Mitchell Jr.	2018	L.A. Rams
S	A.J. Moore Jr.	2018	New England
T	Elijah Nkansah	2018	Tennessee
S	Jonathan Owens	2018	Arizona
CB	Anthony Chesley	2019	Cincinnati
ILB	Nate Hall	2019	Dallas
RB	Karan Higdon Jr.	2019	Houston
DT	Albert Huggins	2019	Houston
NT	Auzoyah Alufohai	2020	Houston
G	Cordel Iwuagwu	2020	Houston
ILB	Jan Johnson	2020	Houston
RB	Scottie Phillips	2020	Houston
WR	Tyler Simmons	2020	Houston
TE	Dylan Stapleton	2020	Houston



ALPHA ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	EXP	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN	ACQUIRED
50	Adams, Tyrell	ILB	6-2	230	28	5	West Georgia	Atlanta, Ga.	FA-'18
88	Akins, Jordan	TE	6-4	243	28	3	Central Florida	Locust Grove, Ga.	D3c-'18
98	Alufohai, Auzoyah	NT	6-4	320	23	R	West Georgia	Houston, Texas	CFA-'20
9	Anger, Bryan	P	6-3	205	31	9	California	Camarillo, Calif.	FA-'19
30	Armstrong, Cornell	CB	6-0	185	24	3	Southern Miss	Bassfield, Miss.	FA-'19
49	Bellamy, Davin	OLB	6-5	259	25	1	Georgia	Chamblee, Ga.	CFA-'18
90	Blacklock, Ross	DT	6-3	290	22	R	TCU	Missouri City, Texas	D2-'20
97	Blackson, Angelo	DT	6-4	319	27	6	Auburn	Bear, Del.	FA-'17
14	Carter, DeAndre	WR	5-8	190	27	3	Sacramento State	San Jose, Calif.	W-'18 (PHI)
43	Chesley, Anthony	CB	6-0	190	24	1	Coastal Carolina	Temple Hills, Md.	FA-'19
18	Cobb, Randall	WR	5-10	195	29	10	Kentucky	Maryville, Tenn.	UFA-'20 (DAL)
22	Conley, Gareon	CB	6-0	190	25	4	Ohio State	Massillon, Ohio	T-'19 (OAK)
13	Cooks, Brandin	WR	5-10	183	26	7	Oregon State	Stockton, Calif.	T-'20 (LAR)
82	Coulter, Isaiah	WR	6-2	198	21	R	Rhode Island	Brandywine, Md.	D5-'20
16	Coutee, Keke	WR	5-11	187	23	3	Texas Tech	Lufkin, Texas	D4-'18
35	Crossen, Keion	CB	5-10	185	24	3	Western Carolina	Garysburg, N.C.	T-'19 (NE)
41	Cunningham, Zach	ILB	6-3	238	25	4	Vanderbilt	Pinson, Ala.	D2-'17
92	Dunn, Brandon	NT	6-2	310	27	5	Louisville	Louisville, Ky.	FA-'15
53	Ejiofor, Duke	OLB	6-4	255	25	3	Wake Forest	Houston, Texas	D6a-'18
7	Fairbairn, Ka'imi	K	6-0	183	26	5	UCLA	Kailua, Hawaii	CFA-'16
87	Fells, Darren	TE	6-7	270	34	7	California-Irvine	Fullerton, Calif.	FA-'19
15	Fuller V, Will	WR	6-0	184	26	5	Notre Dame	Philadelphia, Pa.	D1-'16
73	Fulton, Zach	C/G	6-5	321	28	7	Tennessee	Homewood, Ill.	UFA-'18 (KC)
29	Gaines, Phillip	CB	6-0	193	29	7	Rice	Concord, Mass.	FA-'19
44	Gillaspia, Cullen	FB	6-2	235	25	2	Texas A&M	Katy, Texas	D7-'19
52	Greenard, Jonathan	OLB	6-3	263	23	R	Florida	Hiram, Ga.	D3-'20
48	Hall, Nate	ILB	6-2	235	24	1	Northwestern	Toledo, Ohio	FA-'19
96	Hall, P.J.	NT	6-0	305	25	3	Sam Houston State	Seguin, Texas	FA-'20
17	Hansen, Chad	WR	6-2	202	25	2	California	Fillmore, Calif.	W-'19 (NO)
26	Hargreaves III, Vernon	CB	5-10	204	25	5	Florida	Tampa, Fla.	W-'19 (TB)
77	Hawkins, Jerald	G/T	6-6	305	26	5	LSU	Baldwin, La.	FA-'20
67	Heck, Charlie	T	6-8	311	23	R	North Carolina	Kansas City, Mo.	D4a-'20
24	Higdon Jr., Karan	RB	5-10	202	23	1	Michigan	Sarasota, Fla.	CFA-'19
71	Howard, Tytus	G/T	6-5	322	24	2	Alabama State	Monroeville, Ala.	D1-'19
38	Howell, Buddy	RB	6-1	218	24	3	Florida Atlantic	Coconut Grove, Fla.	W-'18 (MIA)
93	Huggins, Albert	DT	6-3	305	23	2	Clemson	Orangeburg, S.C.	CFA-'19
70	Iwuagwu, Cordell	G	6-3	309	23	R	TCU	Houston, Texas	CFA-'20
32	Johnson Jr., Lonnie	CB	6-2	213	24	2	Kentucky	Gary, Ind.	D2a-'19
31	Johnson, David	RB	6-1	224	28	6	Northern Iowa	Clinton, Iowa	T-'20 (ARI)
25	Johnson, Duke	RB	5-9	210	26	6	Miami (Fla.)	Miami, Fla.	T-'19 (CLE)
56	Johnson, Jan	ILB	6-2	231	24	R	Penn State	Mohnton, Pa.	CFA-'20
63	Johnson, Roderick	T	6-6	306	24	4	Florida State	Florissant, Mo.	W-'18 (CLE)
58	Kalambayi, Peter	ILB	6-3	254	25	3	Stanford	Matthews, N.C.	D6c-'18
64	Kelemete, Senio	G	6-3	301	30	8	Washington	Seattle, Wash.	UFA-'18 (NO)
72	Leonard, Rick	T	6-7	311	23	1	Florida State	Middletown, Md.	FA-'18
65	Mancz, Greg	C/G	6-4	302	28	6	Toledo	Cincinnati, Ohio	CFA-'15
54	Martin, Jacob	OLB	6-2	242	24	3	Temple	Katy, Texas	T-'19 (SEA)
66	Martin, Nick	C	6-4	295	27	5	Notre Dame	Indianapolis, Ind.	D2-'16
2	McCarron, AJ	QB	6-3	215	29	7	Alabama	Mobile, Ala.	FA-'19
3	McGough, Alex	QB	6-3	214	24	1	Florida International	Tampa, Fla.	FA-'19
55	McKinney, Benardrick	ILB	6-4	257	27	6	Mississippi State	Tunica, Miss.	D2-'15
59	Mercilus, Whitney	OLB	6-4	258	30	9	Illinois	Akron, Ohio	D1-'12
11	Mitchell Jr., Steven	WR	5-10	186	26	2	Southern California	Pasadena, Calif.	FA-'18
33	Moore Jr., A.J.	S	5-11	200	24	3	Mississippi	Bassfield, Miss.	W-'18 (NE)
68	Murphy, Kyle	T	6-6	305	26	4	Stanford	Mission Viejo, Calif.	FA-'19
23	Murray, Eric	S	5-11	199	26	5	Minnesota	Milwaukee, Wis.	UFA-'20 (CLE)
75	Nkansah, Elijah	T	6-5	315	25	1	Toledo	Muncie, Ind.	FA-'19
94	Omenihu, Charles	DE	6-5	280	22	2	Texas	Houston, Texas	D5-'19
36	Owens, Jonathan	S	5-11	210	25	2	Missouri Western State	St. Louis, Mo.	FA-'19
40	Phillips, Scottie	RB	5-8	209	22	R	Mississippi	Ellisville, Miss.	CFA-'20
76	Qvale, Brent	T	6-7	315	29	6	Nebraska	Williston, N.D.	UFA-'20 (NYJ)
34	Reid, John	CB	5-10	187	24	R	Penn State	Mount Laurel, N.J.	D4b-'20
20	Reid, Justin	S	6-1	203	23	3	Stanford	Prairieville, La.	D3a-'18
21	Roby, Bradley	CB	5-11	194	28	7	Ohio State	Fort Worth, Texas	UFA-'19 (DEN)
57	Scarlett, Brennan	OLB	6-4	263	27	5	Stanford	Portland, Ore.	CFA-'16
74	Scharping, Max	G/T	6-6	327	24	2	Northern Illinois	Green Bay, Wis.	D2b-'19
86	Simmons, Tyler	WR	6-0	201	22	R	Georgia	Powder Springs, Ga.	CFA-'20
84	Stapleton, Dylan	TE	6-5	242	22	R	James Madison	Indiana, Pa.	CFA-'20
83	Thomas, Jordan	TE	6-5	277	24	3	Mississippi State	Sumrall, Miss.	D6b-'18
28	Thomas, Michael	S	5-11	195	30	7	Stanford	Houston, Texas	FA-'20
78	Tunisi, Laremy	T	6-5	313	26	5	Mississippi	Lake City, Fla.	T-'19 (MIA)
81	Warring, Kahale	TE	6-5	252	23	2	San Diego State	Sonora, Calif.	D3-'19
91	Watkins, Carlos	DE	6-3	297	26	4	Clemson	Mooresboro, N.C.	D4b-'17
27	Watkins, Jaylen	S	5-11	194	28	6	Florida	Cape Coral, Fla.	UFA-'20 (LAC)
4	Watson, Deshaun	QB	6-2	215	24	4	Clemson	Gainesville, Ga.	D1-'17
99	Watt, J.J.	DE	6-5	288	31	10	Wisconsin	Pewaukee, Wis.	D1-'11
46	Weeks, Jon	LS	5-10	242	34	11	Baylor	Bethpage, N.Y.	FA-'10
19	Whitney, Isaac	WR	6-2	204	26	2	Southern California	Moore, Okla.	FA-'18



COACHING STAFF

COACH	TITLE
Bill O'Brien	Head Coach/General Manager
Romeo Crennel	Associate Head Coach
Tim Kelly	Offensive Coord./Quarterbacks
Tracy Smith	Special Teams Coordinator
Anthony Weaver	Defensive Coord./D-Line
John Aylward	Offensive Assistant
Danny Barrett	Running Backs
Deon Broomfield	Defensive Assistant
Akeem Dent	Defensive Assistant
Mike Devlin	Offensive Line
Andre Johnson	Special Advisor to HC & GM
Bobby King	Inside Linebackers
Will Lawing	Tight Ends
D'Anton Lynn	Secondary
DeNarius McGhee	Offensive Assistant
Matt O'Donnell	Coord. of Research / Def Asst.
John Perry	Wide Receivers
Chris Rumph	Outside Linebackers
Carl Smith	Offensive Consultant
T.J. Yates	Assistant Quarterbacks

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PLAYER	PRONUNCIATION
Jordan Akins	A-kins
Auzoyah Alufohai	AH-zoy-ah UH-lou-fa-ha
Gareon Conley	gare-ee-ON
Isaiah Coulter	COLE-tur
Keke Coutee	Q-T
Duke Ejiofor	EDGE-eh-for
Ka'imi Fairbairn	kuh-EE-me FAIR-bairn
Cullen Gillaspia	gill-ESS-pee-ah
Cordell Iwuagwu	ih-WOG-woo
Peter Kalambayi	cal-am-BYE-ee
Senio Kelemete	seh-NEEL kel-uh-MEH-tay
D'Anton Lynn	DAN-tin
Greg Mancz	MANTS
Alex McGough	mah-GOO
Whitney Mercilus	MER-sih-liss
Elijah Nkansah	en-KAN-suh
Charles Omenihu	oh-MEN-ah-hoo
Brent Qvale	KWAH-lee
Eddie Vanderdoes	vander-DOUGHS
Kahale Warring	kah-HALL-aye WHERE-ing

HOW ACQUIRED KEY

CFA	College Free Agent
D	Draft Pick
FA	Free Agent
T	Trade
UFA	Unrestricted Free Agent
W	Waivers
()	Previous Team

ACTIVE/PUP (1)

51	Cole, Dylan	ILB	6-0	237	26	4	Missouri State	Springfield, Mo.	CFA-'17
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ACTIVE/NON-FOOTBALL ILLNESS (1)

12	Stills, Kenny	WR	6-1	202	28	8	Oklahoma	Encinitas, Calif.	T-'19 (MIA)
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RESERVE/OPT-OUT (1)

95	Vanderdoes, Eddie	NT	6-3	315	25	4	UCLA	Auburn, Calif.	FA-'19
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NUMERIC ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	EXP	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN	ACQUIRED
2	AJ McCarron	QB	6-3	215	29	7	Alabama	Mobile, Ala.	FA-'19
3	Alex McGough	QB	6-3	214	24	1	Florida International	Tampa, Fla.	FA-'19
4	Deshawn Watson	QB	6-2	215	24	4	Clemson	Gainesville, Ga.	D1-'17
7	Ka'imi Fairbairn	K	6-0	183	26	5	UCLA	Kailua, Hawaii	CFA-'16
9	Bryan Anger	P	6-3	205	31	9	California	Camarillo, Calif.	FA-'19
11	Steven Mitchell Jr.	WR	5-10	186	26	2	Southern California	Pasadena, Calif.	FA-'18
13	Brandin Cooks	WR	5-10	183	26	7	Oregon State	Stockton, Calif.	T-'20 (LAR)
14	DeAndre Carter	WR	5-8	190	27	3	Sacramento State	San Jose, Calif.	W-'18 (PHI)
15	Will Fuller V	WR	6-0	184	26	5	Notre Dame	Philadelphia, Pa.	D1-'16
16	Keke Coutee	WR	5-11	187	23	3	Texas Tech	Lufkin, Texas	D4-'18
17	Chad Hansen	WR	6-2	202	25	2	California	Fillmore, Calif.	W-'19 (NO)
18	Randall Cobb	WR	5-10	195	29	10	Kentucky	Maryville, Tenn.	UFA-'20 (DAL)
19	Isaac Whitney	WR	6-2	204	26	2	Southern California	Moore, Okla.	FA-'18
20	Justin Reid	S	6-1	203	23	3	Stanford	Prairieville, La.	D3a-'18
21	Bradley Roby	CB	5-11	194	28	7	Ohio State	Fort Worth, Texas	UFA-'19 (DEN)
22	Gareon Conley	CB	6-0	190	25	4	Ohio State	Massillon, Ohio	T-'19 (OAK)
23	Eric Murray	S	5-11	199	26	5	Minnesota	Milwaukee, Wis.	UFA-'20 (CLE)
24	Karan Higdon Jr.	RB	5-10	202	23	1	Michigan	Sarasota, Fla.	CFA-'19
25	Duke Johnson	RB	5-9	210	26	6	Miami (Fla.)	Miami, Fla.	T-'19 (CLE)
26	Vernon Hargreaves III	CB	5-10	204	25	5	Florida	Tampa, Fla.	W-'19 (TB)
27	Jaylen Watkins	S	5-11	194	28	6	Florida	Cape Coral, Fla.	UFA-'20 (LAC)
28	Michael Thomas	S	5-11	195	30	7	Stanford	Houston, Texas	FA-'20
29	Phillip Gaines	CB	6-0	193	29	7	Rice	Concord, Mass.	FA-'19
30	Cornell Armstrong	CB	6-0	185	24	3	Southern Miss	Bassfield, Miss.	FA-'19
31	David Johnson	RB	6-1	224	28	6	Northern Iowa	Clinton, Iowa	T-'20 (ARI)
32	Lonnie Johnson Jr.	CB	6-2	213	24	2	Kentucky	Gary, Ind.	D2a-'19
33	A.J. Moore Jr.	S	5-11	200	24	3	Mississippi	Bassfield, Miss.	W-'18 (NE)
34	John Reid	CB	5-10	187	24	R	Penn State	Mount Laurel, N.J.	D4b-'20
35	Keion Crossen	CB	5-10	185	24	3	Western Carolina	Garysburg, N.C.	T-'19 (NE)
36	Jonathan Owens	S	5-11	210	25	2	Missouri Western State	St. Louis, Mo.	FA-'19
38	Buddy Howell	RB	6-1	218	24	3	Florida Atlantic	Coconut Grove, Fla.	W-'18 (MIA)
40	Scottie Phillips	RB	5-8	209	22	R	Mississippi	Ellisville, Miss.	CFA-'20
41	Zach Cunningham	ILB	6-3	238	25	4	Vanderbilt	Pinson, Ala.	D2-'17
43	Anthony Chesley	CB	6-0	190	24	1	Coastal Carolina	Temple Hills, Md.	FA-'19
44	Cullen Gillaspia	FB	6-2	235	25	2	Texas A&M	Katy, Texas	D7-'19
46	Jon Weeks	LS	5-10	242	34	11	Baylor	Bethpage, N.Y.	FA-'10
48	Nate Hall	ILB	6-2	235	24	1	Northwestern	Toledo, Ohio	FA-'19
49	Davin Bellamy	OLB	6-5	259	25	1	Georgia	Chamblee, Ga.	CFA-'18
50	Tyrell Adams	ILB	6-2	230	28	5	West Georgia	Atlanta, Ga.	FA-'18
52	Jonathan Greenard	OLB	6-3	263	23	R	Florida	Hiram, Ga.	D3-'20
53	Duke Ejirofor	OLB	6-4	255	25	3	Wake Forest	Houston, Texas	D6a-'18
54	Jacob Martin	OLB	6-2	242	24	3	Temple	Katy, Texas	T-'19 (SEA)
55	Benardrick McKinney	ILB	6-4	257	27	6	Mississippi State	Tunica, Miss.	D2-'15
56	Jan Johnson	ILB	6-2	231	24	R	Penn State	Mohnton, Pa.	CFA-'20
57	Brennan Scarlett	OLB	6-4	263	27	5	Stanford	Portland, Ore.	CFA-'16
58	Peter Kalambayi	ILB	6-3	254	25	3	Stanford	Matthews, N.C.	D6c-'18
59	Whitney Mercilus	OLB	6-4	258	30	9	Illinois	Akron, Ohio	D1-'12
63	Roderick Johnson	T	6-6	306	24	4	Florida State	Florissant, Mo.	W-'18 (CLE)
64	Senio Kelemete	G	6-3	301	30	8	Washington	Seattle, Wash.	UFA-'18 (NO)
65	Greg Mancz	C/G	6-4	302	28	6	Toledo	Cincinnati, Ohio	CFA-'15
66	Nick Martin	C	6-4	295	27	5	Notre Dame	Indianapolis, Ind.	D2-'16
67	Charlie Heck	T	6-8	311	23	R	North Carolina	Kansas City, Mo.	D4a-'20
68	Kyle Murphy	T	6-6	305	26	4	Stanford	Mission Viejo, Calif.	FA-'19
70	Cordell Iwuagwu	G	6-3	309	23	R	TCU	Houston, Texas	CFA-'20
71	Tytus Howard	G/T	6-5	322	24	2	Alabama State	Monroeville, Ala.	D1-'19
72	Rick Leonard	T	6-7	311	23	1	Florida State	Middletown, Md.	FA-'18
73	Zach Fulton	C/G	6-5	321	28	7	Tennessee	Homewood, Ill.	UFA-'18 (KC)
74	Max Scharping	G/T	6-6	327	24	2	Northern Illinois	Green Bay, Wis.	D2b-'19
75	Elijah Nkansah	T	6-5	315	25	1	Toledo	Muncie, Ind.	FA-'19
76	Brent Qvale	T	6-7	315	29	6	Nebraska	Williston, N.D.	UFA-'20 (NYJ)
77	Jerald Hawkins	G/T	6-6	305	26	5	LSU	Baldwin, La.	FA-'20
78	Laremy Tunsil	T	6-5	313	26	5	Mississippi	Lake City, Fla.	T-'19 (MIA)
81	Kahale Warring	TE	6-5	252	23	2	San Diego State	Sonora, Calif.	D3-'19
82	Isaiah Coulter	WR	6-2	198	21	R	Rhode Island	Brandywine, Md.	D5-'20
83	Jordan Thomas	TE	6-5	277	24	3	Mississippi State	Sumrall, Miss.	D6b-'18
84	Dylan Stapleton	TE	6-5	242	22	R	James Madison	Indiana, Pa.	CFA-'20
86	Tyler Simmons	WR	6-0	201	22	R	Georgia	Powder Springs, Ga.	CFA-'20
87	Darren Fells	TE	6-7	270	34	7	California-Irvine	Fullerton, Calif.	FA-'19
88	Jordan Akins	TE	6-4	243	28	3	Central Florida	Locust Grove, Ga.	D3c-'18
90	Ross Blacklock	DT	6-3	290	22	R	TCU	Missouri City, Texas	D2-'20
91	Carlos Watkins	DE	6-3	297	26	4	Clemson	Mooresboro, N.C.	D4b-'17
92	Brandon Dunn	NT	6-2	310	27	5	Louisville	Louisville, Ky.	FA-'15
93	Albert Huggins	DT	6-3	305	23	2	Clemson	Orangeburg, S.C.	CFA-'19
94	Charles Omenihu	DE	6-5	280	22	2	Texas	Houston, Texas	D5-'19
96	P.J. Hall	NT	6-0	305	25	3	Sam Houston State	Seguin, Texas	FA-'20
97	Angelo Alufon	DT	6-4	319	27	6	Auburn	Bear, Del.	FA-'17
98	Auzoyah Alufonhai	NT	6-4	320	23	R	West Georgia	Houston, Texas	CFA-'20
99	J.J. Watt	DE	6-5	288	31	10	Wisconsin	Pewaukee, Wis.	D1-'11



COACHING STAFF

COACH	TITLE
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Bill O'Brien	Head Coach/General Manager
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Romeo Crennel	Associate Head Coach
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Tim Kelly	Offensive Coord./Quarterbacks
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Tracy Smith	Special Teams Coordinator
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Anthony Weaver ...	Defensive Coord./D-Line
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John Aylward	Offensive Assistant
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Danny Barrett	Running Backs
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Deon Broomfield	Defensive Assistant
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Akeem Dent	Defensive Assistant
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Mike Devlin	Offensive Line
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Andre Johnson ..	Special Advisor to HC & GM
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Bobby King	Inside Linebackers
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Will Lawing	Tight Ends
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D'Anton Lynn	Secondary
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DeNarius McGhee	Offensive Assistant
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Matt O'Donnell ..	Coord. of Research / Def Asst.
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John Perry	Wide Receivers
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Chris Rumph	Outside Linebackers
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Carl Smith	Offensive Consultant
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T.J. Yates	Assistant Quarterbacks
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PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PLAYER	PRONUNCIATION
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Jordan Akins.....	A-kins
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Auzoyah Alufonhai..	AH-zoy-ah UH-lou-fa-ha
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Gareon Conley.....	gare-ee-ON
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Isaiah Coulter.....	COLE-tur
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Keke Coutee.....	Q-T
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Duke Ejirofor.....	EDGE-eh-for
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Ka'imi Fairbairn.....	kuh-EE-me FAIR-bairn
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Cullen Gillaspia.....	gill-ESS-pee-ah
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Cordell Iwuagwu.....	ih-WOG-woo
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Peter Kalambayi.....	cal-am-BYE-ee
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Senio Kelemete..	seh-NEEL kel-uh-MEH-tay
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D'Anton Lynn.....	DAN-tin
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Greg Mancz.....	MANTS
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Alex McGough.....	mah-GOO
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Whitney Mercilus.....	MER-sih-liss
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Elijah Nkansah.....	en-KAN-suh
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Charles Omenihu.....	oh-MEN-ah-hoo
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Brent Qvale.....	KWAH-lee
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Eddie Vanderdoes.....	vander-DOUGHS
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Kahale Warring..	kah-HALL-aye WHERE-ing
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HOW ACQUIRED KEY

CFA	College Free Agent
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D	Draft Pick
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FA	Free Agent
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T	Trade
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UFA	Unrestricted Free Agent
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W	Waivers
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