

FLORIDA™

MEN'S BASKETBALL

The games below are what Florida had scheduled prior to the NCAA's announcement of a Nov. 25 start date. An updated schedule will be announced when available.

November

10 Samford
13 at Florida State
18 North Florida
24 McNeese State
27 vs. Illinois
29 vs. Iowa State/Oregon

December

2 at Oklahoma
6 UConn
13 vs. Penn State (BHOFF Invitation)
19 vs. TBA (Orange Bowl Classic)
22 James Madison
29 Stony Brook

January

30 SEC/Big 12 Challenge

February

TBA

March

TBA

Numerical Roster

0	Ques Glover	G	5-11	182	So.	1L	Knoxville, Tenn./Bearden
1	Tre Mann	G	6-5	190	So.	1L	Gainesville, Fla./The Villages
2	Samson Ruzhentsev	F	6-7	192	Fr.	HS	Moscow, Russia/Hamilton Heights (Tenn.)
3	Alex Klatsky	G	6-4	185	Fr.	SQ	Colts Neck, N.J./Ranney School
4	Anthony Duruji	F	6-7	220	Jr.	SQ	Germantown, Md./Louisiana Tech
5	Omar Payne	F	6-10	230	So.	1L	Kissimmee, Fla./Montverde Academy
10	Noah Locke	G	6-3	203	Jr.	2L	Baltimore, Md./McDonogh School
11	Keyontae Johnson	F	6-5	229	Jr.	2L	Norfolk, Va./Oak Hill Academy
12	Colin Castleton	F	6-11	231	Jr.	TR	Deland, Fla./Michigan
15	Osayi Osifo	F	6-7	225	Jr.	TR	Bedworth Park, South Africa/ Eastern Florida State College
20	Jack May	G	6-4	175	Fr.	HS	Boca Raton, Fla./Saint Andrew's School
22	Tyree Appleby	G	6-1	170	Jr.	SQ	Jacksonville, Ark./Cleveland State
23	Scottie Lewis	G	6-5	189	So.	1L	Hazlet, N.J./Ranney School
33	Jason Jitoboh	C	6-11	285	So.	1L	Abuja, Nigeria/Hamilton Heights (Tenn.)
44	Niels Lane	G	6-5	206	Fr.	HS	Freehold, N.J./Roselle Catholic

Season Outlook

- The Gators were on the verge of their fourth straight NCAA Tournament bid when the COVID-19 pandemic brought the world to a halt hours before UF tipped off in the SEC Tournament in Nashville.
- Florida returns stalwart juniors Keyontae Johnson, who earned All-SEC honors while averaging 14.0 points and 7.1 rebounds last season, and Noah Locke, who shot .432 from 3-point range and averaged 10.6 points.
- Fellow starter and SEC All-Freshman honoree Scottie Lewis also comes back after finishing strong last season, averaging 13.0 points over the season's final four games. Fellow sophomores Tre Mann, Ques Glover, Omar Payne and Jason Jitoboh bolster the Gators' experience and depth.
- Florida will have the services of four transfers this season, all juniors. Power forward Anthony Duruji (Louisiana Tech) and point guard Tyree Appleby (Cleveland State), who both sat last season while practicing with the Gators, will be joined by 6-foot-11 Florida native Colin Castleton (Michigan, received NCAA waiver) and high-motor 4-man Osayi Osifo (junior college).
- UF brings in a pair of scholarship freshmen in guard Niels Lane and wing forward Samson Ruzhentsev.
- The Gators' roster includes a pair of walk-ons in redshirt freshman Alex Klatsky and true freshman Jack May.
- Florida enjoys continuity on its staff as associate head coach Al Pinkins, assistant coaches Jordan Mincy and Darris Nichols, director of basketball operations Jonathan Blake and director of scouting Bryce Douglas all return.
- Athletic trainer Duke Werner, Florida's Associate AD for Sports Health, returns for his 17th season with the men's basketball team and 27th at Florida, while director of strength and conditioning Preston Greene enters his 10th season with the Gators.

University Facts

Location: Gainesville, Fla.
Founded: 1853
Enrollment: 54,854
Conference: Southeastern (SEC)
Nickname: Gators
UF President: Dr. W. Kent Fuchs
Athletic Director: Scott Stricklin
Mascots: Albert and Alberta
Colors: Orange (PMS 172) and Blue (PMS 287)
Website: FloridaGators.com
Facebook: facebook.com/GatorsMBK
Twitter: @GatorsMBK, @MikeWhiteUF
Instagram: @gatorsmbk
Faculty Rep: Dr. Michael Sagas

Coaching Staff Facts

Head Coach: Mike White (Ole Miss '00)
UF Record: 108-65/6th season
Overall Record: 209-105/10th season
Associate Head Coach: Al Pinkins (N.C. State '98)
Assistant Coaches: Jordan Mincy (Kent State '09),
Darris Nichols (West Virginia '08)
Athletic Trainer: David "Duke" Werner
Strength & Conditioning Coordinator: Preston Greene
Director of Basketball Operations: Jonathan Blake
Director of Scouting: Bryce Douglas
Office Manager: Tracy Pfaff
Program Coordinator: Mike Robuck
Academic Advisor: Tom Williams

Program Facts

Arena: Exactech Arena at the Stephen C. O'Connell Center (10,151)
Season: 102nd
Overall Record: 1,454-1,125
SEC Record: 652-659
NCAA Tournaments: 20 (1989, '94, '95, '99, 2000, '01, '02, '03, '04, '05, '06, '07, '10, '11, '12, '13, '14, '17, '18, '19)
Final Fours: 5 (1994, 2000, '06, '07, '14)
National Championships: 2 (2006, '07)
NIT Appearances: 10 (1969, '84, '85, '86, '92, '93, '98, 2008, '09, '16)
SEC Tournament Championships: 4 (2005, '06, '07, '14)
SEC Championships: 7 (1989, 2000, '01, '07, '11, '13, '14)
All-Americans: 25
All-SEC: 111
SEC Academic Honor Roll: 128
NBA Draftees: 35
2019-20 Record: 19-12
2019-20 Conference Record: 11-7 (t-4th)
Lettermen Returning/Lost: 7/5
Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2

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