

2020-21 ALABAMA WOMEN'S BASKETBALL QUICK FACTS

2020-21 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TV/LIVE STREAM	TIME (CT)
November				
25	Samford	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
29	Houston	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
December				
2	USC Upstate	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
5	at Oklahoma State ¹	Stillwater, Okla.		
9	Sam Houston State	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
13	at Mercer	Macon, Ga.		
17	Southern Miss	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
19	at Memphis	Memphis, Tenn.		
21	Jacksonville	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
31	at Missouri*	Columbia, Mo.		
January				
4	South Carolina*	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
7	LSU*	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
10	at Vanderbilt*	Nashville, Tenn.		
14	at Mississippi State*	Starkville, Miss.		
17	Tennessee*	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
24	Auburn*	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
28	at Kentucky*	Lexington, Ky.		
31	at South Carolina*	Columbia, S.C.		
February				
4	Georgia*	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
11	Ole Miss*	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
14	at Auburn*	Auburn, Ala.		
18	at Florida*	Gainesville, Fla.		
21	Mississippi State*	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
25	Texas A&M*	Tuscaloosa, Ala.		
28	at Arkansas*	Fayetteville, Ark.		
March				
3-7	SEC Tournament	Greenville, S.C.		

* SEC game

¹ SEC/Big12 Challenge

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location Tuscaloosa, Ala.
 Enrollment 37,842
 Founded April 12, 1831
 Nickname Crimson Tide
 Colors Crimson and White
 Conference Southeastern
 President Dr. Stuart Bell
 Director of Athletics Greg Byrne
 Senior Woman
 Administrator Tiffini Grimes
 Faculty Representative Dr. James King
 Facility Coleman Coliseum
 Capacity 15,383

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach Kristy Curry
 Alma Mater Northeast Louisiana, 1988
 Record at Alabama 116-108 (.518)
 SEC Record 38-74 (.339)
 Overall Record 425-257 (.623)
 Season at Alabama Eighth
 Season Overall 22nd
 Assistant Coach Kelly Curry
 Alma Mater Texas A&M, 1990
 Season at Alabama Eighth
 Assistant Coach Tiffany Coppage
 Alma Mater Missouri State, 2009
 Season at Alabama Third
 Assistant Coach Janese Constantine
 Alma Mater Wisconsin, 2008
 Season at Alabama First
 Director of Operations Brian Johnson
 Alma Mater Tennessee, 2016
 Season at Alabama Fifth
 Dir. of Video/Creative Content John Clark
 Alma Mater St. Gregory's, 2014
 Season at Alabama Second

TEAM INFORMATION

2019-20 Overall Record 18-12
 2019-20 SEC Record 8-8
 SEC Finish 8th
 Postseason N/A (COVID-19)
 Starters R/L 4/1
 Letterwinners R/L 10/4
 Newcomers 5

All-Time Record 774-605 (.561)
 SEC Record 172-316 (.352)
 Home Record 395-192 (.673)
 First Season 1974
 NCAA Appearances 10 (1984, 1988,
 1992-99)
 WNIT Appearances 7 (2000-02, 2011,
 2016-18)

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2020-21 ROSTER

NUMERICAL

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Year	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
0	Ahriahna Grizzle	G	5-9	So.	1L	Toronto, Ontario, Canada (Bill Crothers Secondary School)
1	Megan Abrams	G	5-9	Jr.	2L	Lafayette, La. (Lafayette Christian Academy)
2	Keyara Jones	G	5-6	Jr.	TR	Heidelberg, Miss. (Jones County CC)
3	Jordan Lewis	G	5-7	R-Sr.	4L	Windermere, Fla. (Lake Highland Prep)
4	Taylor Sutton*	G	5-4	Jr.	TR	Atlanta, Ga. (Middle Tennessee)
5	Hannah Barber	G	5-6	Jr.	2L	Homewood, Ala. (Homewood)
11	Destiny Rice	G	5-8	So.	1L	Shreveport, La. (North Caddo Magnet)
12	Allie Craig Cruce	F	6-1	Jr.	2L	Killen, Ala. (Lauderdale County)
15	Myra Gordon	G/F	6-0	Fr.	HS	Fort Worth, Texas (L.D. Bell)
20	Ruth Koang	C	6-5	Jr.	TR	Rochester, N.Y. (South Plains CC)
22	Ariyah Copeland	F	6-3	Sr.	3L	Columbus, Ga. (Columbus)
23	Brittany Davis	G	5-9	Jr.	1L	Manchester, Ga. (Gulf Coast State Coll.)
24	De'Sha Benjamin	G	6-0	Jr.	2L	Augusta, Ga. (Lucy C. Laney)
32	Alana Busby-Dunphy	F	6-3	So.	TR	Eureka, Calif. (Dodge City CC)
40	Jasmine Walker	F	6-3	Sr.	3L	Montgomery, Ala. (Florida State)

ALPHABETICAL

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1	Megan Abrams	G	5-9	Jr.	2L	Lafayette, La. (Lafayette Christian Academy)
5	Hannah Barber	G	5-6	Jr.	2L	Homewood, Ala. (Homewood)
24	De'Sha Benjamin	G	6-0	Jr.	2L	Augusta, Ga. (Lucy C. Laney)
32	Alana Busby-Dunphy	F	6-3	So.	TR	Eureka, Calif. (Dodge City CC)
22	Ariyah Copeland	F	6-3	Sr.	3L	Columbus, Ga. (Columbus)
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* will sit out the 2020-21 season due to NCAA Transfer Rules

Head Coach: Kristy Curry, 8th season (Northeast Louisiana, 1988)

Assistant Coach: Kelly Curry, 8th season (Texas A&M, 1990)

Assistant Coach/Recruiting Coordinator: Tiffany Coppage, 3rd season (Missouri State, 2009)

Assistant Coach: Janese Constantine, 1st season (Wisconsin, 2008)

Director of Operations: Brian Johnson, 5th season (Tennessee, 2016)

Director of Video/Creative Content: John Clark, 2nd season (St. Gregory's, 2014)

INSIDE THE ROSTER

Returning Letterwinners (10)

Megan Abrams
Hannah Barber
De'Sha Benjamin
Ariyah Copeland
Allie Craig Cruce
Brittany Davis
Ahriahna Grizzle
Jordan Lewis
Destiny Rice
Jasmine Walker

Returning Starters (4)

Megan Abrams
Ariyah Copeland
Jordan Lewis
Jasmine Walker

Newcomers (5)

Alana Busby-Dunphy +
Myra Gordon
Keyara Jones +
Ruth Koang +
Taylor Sutton +

Seniors (3)

Ariyah Copeland
Jordan Lewis
Jasmine Walker

Juniors (8)

Megan Abrams
Hannah Barber
De'Sha Benjamin
Allie Craig Cruce
Brittany Davis

Keyara Jones +
Ruth Koang +
Taylor Sutton +

Sophomores (3)

Alana Busby-Dunphy
Ahriahna Grizzle
Destiny Rice

Freshmen (2)

Myra Gordon

+ Transfer

PRONUNCIATIONS

De'Sha Benjamin	DAY-shuh
Alana Busby-Dunphy	uh-LAWN-uh
Ariyah Copeland	uh-RYE-uh
Allie Craig Cruce	Kroose
Ahriahna Grizzle	ah-ree-AH-nah
Keyara Jones	key-R-uh
Ruth Koang	CO-ang
Myra Gordon	MY-ruh

2019-20 ALABAMA WOMEN'S BASKETBALL COMBINED STATISTICS



2019-20 Alabama Women's Basketball Combined Team Statistics All games

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Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	18-11	10-6	7-4	1-1
CONFERENCE	8-8	4-4	4-4	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	10-3	6-2	3-0	1-1

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Alabama	446	485	578	572	8	2089
Opponents	443	446	475	486	9	1859

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
3	LEWIS, Jordan	29-29	967:50	33.4	114-292	.390	43-122	.352	108-150	.720	33	101	134	4.6	52	0	113	78	2	34	379	13.1
40	WALKER, Jasmine	29-29	898:18	31.0	125-311	.402	61-159	.384	36-50	.720	50	158	208	7.2	47	0	33	54	18	29	347	12.0
4	JOHNSON, Cierra	29-2	620:08	21.4	84-209	.402	20-75	.267	58-82	.707	50	73	123	4.2	74	2	64	52	9	35	246	8.5
22	COPELAND, Ariyah	27-27	601:13	22.3	90-165	.545	0-1	.000	36-54	.667	68	83	151	5.6	58	1	8	32	23	11	216	8.0
24	BENJAMIN, De'Sha	27-4	454:58	16.9	76-155	.490	17-46	.370	44-60	.733	26	80	106	3.9	32	2	13	37	2	10	213	7.9
1	ABRAMS, Megan	29-29	681:04	23.5	72-174	.414	7-36	.194	54-72	.750	10	63	73	2.5	27	0	54	57	3	12	205	7.1
23	DAVIS, Brittany	29-0	467:17	16.1	65-172	.378	30-97	.309	24-36	.667	10	44	54	1.9	37	0	25	40	0	16	184	6.3
25	KNIGHT, Ashley	29-2	421:29	14.5	56-90	.622	0-0	.000	19-25	.760	36	63	99	3.4	70	1	6	17	50	10	131	4.5
42	GIBSON, Shelby	9-0	55:34	6.2	9-18	.500	1-3	.333	4-7	.571	9	10	19	2.1	14	0	2	4	3	2	23	2.6
12	CRUCE, Allie Craig	15-0	72:17	4.8	11-20	.550	3-7	.429	4-4	1.000	4	9	13	0.9	9	0	1	6	2	1	29	1.9
5	BARBER, Hannah	29-0	232:22	8.0	16-39	.410	14-26	.538	8-10	.800	1	21	22	0.8	15	0	20	19	0	4	54	1.9
11	RICE, Destiny	8-0	34:36	4.3	5-9	.556	1-2	.500	3-10	.300	0	4	4	0.5	7	0	2	2	0	1	14	1.8
2	RICHARDSON, Amber	29-23	284:07	9.8	16-43	.372	1-6	.167	8-16	.500	15	18	33	1.1	22	0	21	22	0	11	41	1.4
0	GRIZZLE, Ahriahna	7-0	33:46	4.8	3-11	.273	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	3	3	0.4	3	0	1	0	0	2	7	1.0
Team											40	52	92				9					
Total		29	5825		742-1708	.434	199-583	.341	406-576	.705	352	782	1134	39.1	467	6	363	429	112	178	2089	72.0
Opponents		29	5825		676-1737	.389	175-543	.322	332-482	.689	311	670	981	33.8	531	9	359	397	115	235	1859	64.1

Team Statistics

	BAMA	OPP
Scoring	2089	1859
Points per game	72.0	64.1
Scoring margin	+7.9	-
Field goals-att	742-1708	676-1737
Field goal pct	.434	.389
3 point fg-att	199-583	175-543
3-point FG pct	.341	.322
3-pt FG made per game	6.9	6.0
Free throws-att	406-576	332-482
Free throw pct	.705	.689
F-Throws made per game	14.0	11.4
Rebounds	1134	981
Rebounds per game	39.1	33.8
Rebounding margin	+5.3	-
Assists	363	359
Assists per game	12.5	12.4
Turnovers	429	397
Turnovers per game	14.8	13.7
Turnover margin	-1.1	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.8	0.9
Steals	178	235
Steals per game	6.1	8.1
Blocks	112	115
Blocks per game	3.9	4.0
Winning streak	4	-
Home win streak	3	-
Attendance	35223	37856
Home games-Avg/Game	16-2201	11-3441
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	2-300

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/06/2019	Hampton	L	61-64	1871
11/12/2019	at Clemson	W	67-54	1233
11/17/2019	Mercer	W	111-56	1885
11/21/2019	at South Alabama	W	74-62	1270
11/24/2019	at Tulane	W	66-56	657
11/29/2019	vs UNI	W	87-77	300
11/30/2019	vs Southern California	L	57-60	300
12/05/2019	Iowa St.	L	66-75	1915
12/08/2019	Colgate	W	72-52	1787
12/15/2019	North Carolina	W	83-77	2235
12/17/2019	Bethune-Cookman	W	60-49	4105
12/20/2019	Radford	W	85-51	1898
12/29/2019	Southeastern La.	W	87-50	1973
01/02/2020	at LSU	L	60-71	1667
01/05/2020	South Carolina	L	78-93	2168
01/09/2020	Kentucky	L	71-81	2322
01/12/2020	at Auburn	W	75-48	2833
01/20/2020	at Tennessee	L	63-65	8537
01/23/2020	Texas A&M	L	74-79	1826
01/26/2020	Vanderbilt	W	98-61	2067
01/30/2020	Arkansas	L	48-66	1857
02/02/2020	at Ole Miss	W	57-56	1207
02/06/2020	at Kentucky	L	62-66	3739
02/09/2020	Auburn	W	68-64	3188
02/16/2020	at Georgia	Lot	75-76	4569
02/20/2020	Florida	W	69-62	1888
02/23/2020	at Mississippi St.	W	66-64	8083
02/27/2020	at Texas A&M	W	76-63	4061
03/01/2020	Missouri	W	73-61	2238

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0 Ahriahna Grizzle

SOPHOMORE

G • 5-9 • Toronto, Canada
Bill Crothers Secondary



1 Megan Abrams

JUNIOR

G • 5-9 • Lafayette, La.
Lafayette Christian Academy



2 Keyara Jones

JUNIOR

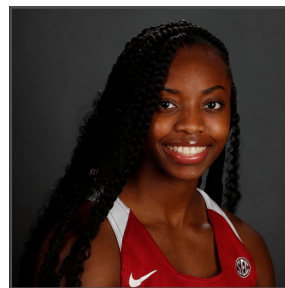
G • 5-6 • Heidelberg, Miss.
Jones County CC



3 Jordan Lewis

R-SENIOR

G • 5-7 • Windermere, Fla.
Lake Highland Prep



4 Taylor Sutton

JUNIOR

G • 5-4 • Atlanta, Ga.
Middle Tennessee State



5 Hannah Barber

JUNIOR

G • 5-6 • Homewood, Ala.
Homewood



11 Destiny Rice

SOPHOMORE

G • 5-8 • Shreveport, La.
North Caddo Magnet



12 Allie Craig Cruce

JUNIOR

F • 6-1 • Killen, Ala.
Lauderdale County



15 Myra Gordon

FRESHMAN

G/F • 6-0 • Fort Worth, Texas
L.D. Bell



20 Ruth Koang

JUNIOR

C • 6-5 • Rochester, N.Y.
South Plains College



22 Ariyah Copeland

SENIOR

F • 6-3 • Columbus, Ga.
Columbus



23 Brittany Davis

JUNIOR

G • 5-9 • Manchester, Ga.
Gulf Coast State College



24 De'Sha Benjamin

JUNIOR

G • 6-0 • Augusta, Ga.
Lucy C. Laney



32 Alana Busby-Dunphy

SOPHOMORE

F • 6-3 • Eureka, Calif.
Dodge City CC



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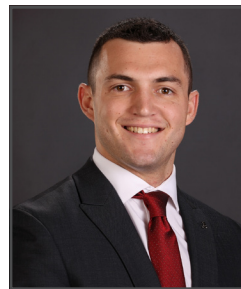
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5TH SEASON

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John Clark

2ND SEASON

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