



# ALCORN FOOTBALL

*Back-to-Back-to-Back-to-Back SWAC East Champions*



## 2018 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
Sept. 1	at Georgia Tech	11:30 a.m.
<b>Sept. 8</b>	<b>Louisiana College</b>	<b>6 p.m.</b>
<b>Sept. 15</b>	<b>Texas Southern</b>	<b>6 p.m.</b>
Sept. 22	at Mississippi Valley St.	6 p.m.
Sept. 29	at Southern	6 p.m.
<b>Oct. 6</b>	<b>Alabama State</b>	<b>2 p.m.</b>
Oct. 13	at Alabama A&M	2 p.m.
<b>Oct. 20</b>	<b>Grambling State</b>	<b>2 p.m.</b>
Oct. 27	at Prairie View A&M	2 p.m.
Nov. 3	at New Mexico State	3 p.m.
<b>Nov. 17</b>	<b>Jackson State</b>	<b>2 p.m.</b>
Dec. 1	vs. SWAC Championship	

All times Central and subject to change.  
**Bold** indicates home game; \*-SWAC game

### NAME PRONUNCIATION "ALCORN"

Please note the correct pronunciation of "Alcorn" is "All-Corn" as in "Always Alcorn."

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Name:	Alcorn State University
Location:	Lorman, Miss.
Founded:	1871
Enrollment:	3,730
Interim President:	Dr. Donzell Lee
Director of Athletics:	Derek J. Horne
Faculty Rep:	Dr. Keith McGee
Conference:	Southwestern Athletic
Nickname:	Braves
Colors:	Purple and Gold
All-Time Record:	474-374-39
First Season:	1921
Band:	Sounds of Dyn-O-Mite
Stadium:	Spinks-Casem Stadium
Stadium Record:	74-52
Year Opened:	1992 (27th Season)
Capacity:	22,500
Playing Surface:	Natural Grass
Athletics Website:	www.alcornsports.com
Facebook:	/AlcornStateSports
Twitter:	@BRAVESSPORTS
Instagram:	@alcornstatesports
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Alcorn  
**BRAVES**

2017 Record:  
7-5, 5-2 SWAC

Vs.



Georgia Tech  
**YELLOW JACKETS**

2017 Record:  
5-6, 4-4 ACC

Game 1

Saturday, Sept. 1 • 12:30 p.m. (EST) • Atlanta  
 Bobby Dodd Stadium (55,000)

Radio: WPRL 91.7 FM, Charles Edmond (PxP)

Television: ACC Regional Sports Network/ESPN3

### Alcorn Notes

- The Braves are the four-time defending SWAC East Division champions were picked to win the division again in the SWAC Preseason Poll. Alcorn is the only school in the history of the league to play in four consecutive SWAC Championship games.
- Alcorn is looking for its first-ever win over an institution from a Power Five conference. The Braves have three wins over FBS programs after beating Troy 47-44 in 1994, Middle Tennessee State 28-7 in 1988 and Central Michigan 24-16 in 1978.
- Saturday marks the second-ever meeting between Alcorn and Georgia Tech. The 16th-ranked Yellow Jackets won 69-6 in the 2015 season-opener.
- Alcorn is looking to win its season-opener for the third straight year after beating Miles College 50-21 last season and Alabama State 21-18 in 2016.
- The Braves are ranked third in the Preseason HBCU Poll and are receiving votes in the Preseason FCS Poll.
- Alcorn garnered 11 Preseason All-Conference selections (page 5) including senior running back P.J. Simmons who was named the Preseason Offensive Player of the Year. Junior quarterback Noah Johnson, junior offensive lineman Mustaffa Ibrahim and junior linebacker Trae Ferrell were also named to the Preseason First-Team.
- In addition to his Preseason SWAC Offensive Player of the Year selection, Simmons was also one of 25 student-athletes in the FCS named to the Walter Payton Award Watch List. He was the only player from the SWAC on the list, and the award goes to the best player in the FCS.



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## 15 CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS

1947 - SCAC  
1950 - SCAC  
1960 - SCAC  
1961 - SCAC  
1968 - SWAC  
1969 - SWAC  
1970 - SWAC  
1974 - SWAC  
1976 - SWAC  
1979 - SWAC  
1984 - SWAC  
1992 - SWAC  
1994 - SWAC  
2014 - SWAC  
2015 - SWAC

## FOUR DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS

2014 - SWAC East Division  
2015 - SWAC East Division  
2016 - SWAC East Division  
2017 - SWAC East Division

## FIVE BLACK COLLEGE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

1968  
1969  
1974  
1984  
2014

## THREE FCS PLAYOFFS & TWO BOWL APPEARANCES

1968 - Orange Blossom Bowl  
(Win, 36-9 over Florida A&M)  
1984 - Playoffs  
1992 - Playoffs  
1994 - Playoffs  
2015 - (inaugural) Air Force  
Reserve Celebration Bowl

## Alcorn Notes Continued...

- Simmons, a Preseason HBCU All-America First-Team honoree, rushed for 687 yards and seven touchdowns last season. The Tallahassee, Florida native averaged 8.6 yards per carry with a long of 64 yards.

- Johnson takes over the starting role at quarterback after seeing significant playing time over the last two seasons. He led the team in scoring in 2016 with 60 points after throwing for 1,116 yards and 11 touchdowns, and rushing for 440 yards and 10 touchdowns. Last season, Johnson threw for 782 yards and four touchdowns, and rushed for 333 yards and six touchdowns. He has 31 career touchdowns with passing and throwing combined.



- Alcorn, which brings back eight starters on defense, finished top-five in the nation in red zone defense last year, allowing opponents to score on just 64.5 percent of their trips inside the 20. The Braves were also 16th in team tackles for a loss with 7.6 per outing.

- Junior defensive back Javen Morrison has been a lockdown defender for the Braves and has led the team in interceptions in each of the last two seasons. He finished second in the SWAC and sixth in the FCS in pass break ups per game (1.33) last year.

- Junior punter/kicker Corey McCullough broke the school's single-season field goal record with 17 made last year. His 1.42 field goals made per game was fourth in the FCS. McCullough was also top-25 in the country in points per game (7.8), and top-20 in punting average (42.5 yards).

- Alcorn was 6-0 last year when leading at halftime.

- Alcorn will carry-over a four-game home winning-streak into this season. The Braves are 74-52 all-time at Jack Spinks-Marino Casem Stadium.

- The Braves won 10 SWAC Player of the Week awards last year from nine different student-athletes. McCullough won both FCS National and SWAC Special Teams Player of the Week honors on Nov. 6 after drilling for field goals against AAMU and punting six times for 309 yards (51.5 yards per punt).



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- Alcorn made a splash hire this summer with the addition of quarterbacks coach Pat White. WVNews reported that White is arguably the best quarterback to ever play at WVU. He's a two-time Big East Player of the Year winner and was a Heisman candidate in both 2007 and 2008. The superstar quarterbacked the Mountaineers to a 42-9 record in four years. White and Alcorn's offensive coordinator Ryan Stanchek were teammates at WVU from 2004 to 2008, playing on four winning bowl teams. It included BCS victories in the 2006 Sugar Bowl and the 2008 Fiesta Bowl. Stanchek was an offensive lineman that blocked for White.

- The Braves promoted Stanchek to offensive coordinator and Cedric Thornton to defensive coordinator during the offseason. Stanchek previously worked as both the run game coordinator and offensive line coach at Alcorn, while Thornton was the Braves linebacker coach.

### Notable Alumni

- Alcorn is the alma mater of the legendary Steve "Air II" McNair who led the Tennessee Titans to four playoff appearances as the starting quarterback including Super Bowl XXXIV. He was selected to three Pro Bowls and was All-Pro and Co-MVP in 2003. McNair was the 1994 Walter Payton Award winner for the best player in NCAA Division I-AA.

- Steve McNair is the younger brother of Alcorn head coach Fred "Air" McNair.

- Alcorn graduate Donald Driver was inducted into the Green Bay Packers Hall of Fame in July 2017. He is Green Bay's all-time leader in both receptions (743) and receiving yards (10,137).

- Leslie Frazier, who ranks second all-time in school history and sixth in the SWAC with 20 interceptions, was inducted into the Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame in August 2017. Frazier served as head coach of the Minnesota Vikings from 2010 to 2013 and currently works for the Buffalo Bills as the defensive coordinator.

- Roynell Young was named one of 25 finalists for the Black College Football Hall of Fame. Young, who played from 1977-79, ranks second all-time in school history with 20 interceptions. He helped the Braves capture the 1979 SWAC Championship. Young was the 23rd pick in the 1980 NFL Draft, becoming the first-ever Brave to be selected in the first round. He played for the Philadelphia Eagles from 1980-88 and played in Super Bowl XV.

- Alcorn has had 53 student-athletes play in the NFL including 33 draft picks. Six Alcornites played at least 10 seasons (Donald Driver, Jimmie Giles, Steve McNair, Lawrence Pillars, Tarence Small and Dave Washington).

## BRAVES BY THE NUMBERS (2017)

### CARRIED OVER FROM LAST SEASON

Current Streak	Lost 2
Home Streak	Win 4
Away Streak	Lost 2
Neutral Streak	Lost 3

Home	5-1
Away	2-2
Neutral	0-2
Day Games	3-3
Night Games	4-2

September	3-2
October	2-1
November	2-1

Leading at Halftime	6-0
Trailing at Halftime	1-4
Tied at Halftime	0-1
Scoring First	4-2
Opponent Scoring First	2-3

Score < 10 Points	0-1
Score 10-19 Points	0-2
Score 20-29 Points	2-1
Score 30-39 Points	1-1
Score 40+ Points	4-0
Opponent Scores < 10 Points	1-1
Opponent Scores 10-19 Points	2-1
Opponent Scores 20-29 Points	3-0
Opponent Scores 30-39 Points	1-1
Opponent Scores 40+ Points	0-2

More Rushing Yards Than Opponent	6-3
Fewer Rushing Yards Than Opponent	0-2
Rushing Yards Tied	1-0
Rush For < 100 Yards	0-2
Rush For 100+ Yards	7-3
Opponent Rushes For < 100 Yards	1-0
Opponent Rushes For 100+ Yards	5-5
More Passing Yards Than Opponent	5-2
Fewer Passing Yards Than Opponent	3-2
Pass For < 250 Yards	5-3
Pass For 250+ Yards	2-2
Opponent Passes For < 250 Yards	4-1
Opponent Passes For 250+ Yards	3-4

More Total Yards Than Opponent	6-2
Fewer Total Yards Than Opponent	1-3
Gain < 350 Total Yards	0-2
Gain 350+ Total Yards	7-3
Opponent Gains < 350 Total Yards	5-1
Opponent Gains 350+ Total Yards	2-4

Commit No Turnovers	2-2
Commit 1-2 Turnover	5-2
Commit 3+ Turnovers	0-1
Force No Turnovers	1-2
Force 1-2 Turnovers	3-3
Force 3+ Turnovers	3-0

3rd Down % < 25	1-1
3rd Down % 25-49	2-2
3rd Down % 50+	4-2
Opponent 3rd Down % < 25	2-0
Opponent 3rd Down % 25-49	5-2
Opponent 3rd Down % 50+	0-3

Lead Time of Possession	4-2
Trail Time of Possession	3-3





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## FRED MCNAIR

**Head Coach (Third Season) • Seventh Season at Alcorn • Alcorn '92**

Fred McNair was named Alcorn State University 21st head football coach on February 2, 2016. He brought the Braves to the SWAC title game in his first two seasons at the helm after winning the SWAC East Division title outright both years.

McNair, who was previously the quarterbacks coach, is entering his sixth year as a member of the Alcorn football staff. McNair began his college football career as a wide receiver at Alcorn State University in 1986 before moving to quarterback his junior season. After the switch, McNair went on to finish fifth in Division 1-AA in passing efficiency his senior year and was named to the All-SWAC second team in 1989. He received his bachelor's in 1992 and furthered his education with a master's in 1996 from Alcorn State University.

McNair is responsible for turning Alcorn quarterback John Gibbs Jr. into a force on the field. Under the tutelage of McNair, Gibbs passed for 2,482 yards and 21 touchdowns and rushed for 1,006 yards in 2014. In 2013, Gibbs passed for 2,567 yards and 21 touchdowns. He also rushed for 455 yards. This past season, after Gibbs went down with an injury in the middle of the season, Lenorris Footman stepped in and found success because of McNair's coaching methods. Footman rushed for 1,023 yards and 11 touchdowns and passed for 1,106 yards and 14 scores.

He was hired as head football coach, athletic director, and teacher at Collins High school in April 2011. The CHS Tigers made it to the

second round of the 2011 3A football playoffs. During the summer months, he works as a football camp director for Mercedes Lewis in Long Beach, California; Jerrius Norwood in Brandon, Mississippi; Brett Favre and Adailus Thomas, both in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. He is also a Dixie Youth baseball coach and commissioner in Covington County as well as a youth football coach. If that is not enough, McNair is also a motivational speaker at churches, schools, and social events throughout Mississippi. He is definitely a man on the move with a vision seeking anyone that he can help.

In addition, McNair coached at Millsaps College in Jackson, Mississippi for four years. During his tenure at Millsaps, they won two Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference (SCAC) Championships. In June 2009, McNair was hired as a teacher and coach at Mt. Olive High School. He was the offensive coordinator for the Mt. Olive Pirates. The Pirates won the 1A State Football Championships in 2009 and 2010.

Upon McNair's retirement from the Arena Football League (AFL), he held various records. He is a seasoned AFL veteran (Albany 1993-95); Florida (1996-00); and Carolina (2000-01). He holds almost all passing records, including passing yards in a season (3,269 in 1999), passing touchdowns in a season (60, 1998), passing touchdowns in a game (8, four times) and passing yards in a game (362, 2000). McNair also holds all of Carolina's passing records and became the 13th quarterback in AFL history to surpass the 10,000-yard career passing mark (vs. Carolina in 2000).

McNair was ranked in the top eight in the AFL in all-time passes attempted, passes completed and passing yards. Over his eight-year career, McNair completed over 57 percent of his passes, while throwing for 16,591 yards and 291 touchdowns. McNair had a career season in 2001, setting career highs with 3,271 yards, 63 touchdowns, 434 attempts, 282 completions, a 65.0 competition percentage and a 118.16 quarterback rating. He is the original "Air McNair" and is the brother of the late Tennessee Titans quarterback and 2003 Co-Most Valuable Player, Steve "Air II" McNair.

McNair and his wife, Barbara, reside in Collins with their son, Ahkeem.



### FRED MCNAIR

#### HEAD COACHING CAREER

Season	Record	SWAC	Result
2016	5-6	5-4	SWAC East Division Champs
2017	7-5	5-2	SWAC East Division Champs
2018	0-0	0-0	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>12-11</b>	<b>10-6</b>	



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## FCS COACHES POLL (8/6/18)

#	School	Points
1	North Dakota State (0-0)	3919 (151)
2	James Madison (0-0)	3764 (6)
3	South Dakota State (0-0)	3470
4	Sam Houston State (0-0)	3228
5	Kennesaw State (0-0)	3120
6	Jacksonville State (0-0)	3041
7	New Hampshire (0-0)	2873
8	Weber State (0-0)	2815
9	Eastern Washington (0-0)	2541
10	Wofford (0-0)	2087
11	Samford (0-0)	2003
12	Elon (0-0)	1812
13	UNI (0-0)	1612
14	North Carolina A&T (0-0)	1480
15	Delaware (0-0)	1470
16	Central Arkansas (0-0)	1383
17	McNeese (0-0)	1133
18	Nicholls (0-0)	1056
19	Villanova (0-0)	920
20	Stony Brook (0-0)	798
21	Illinois State (0-0)	795
22	Austin Peay (0-0)	709
23	Furman (0-0)	685
24	Montana (0-0)	626
25	Youngstown State (0-0)	541

Others receiving votes: South Dakota (496), Western Illinois (401), Southern Utah (357), Northern Arizona (312), Grambling State (289), Idaho (287), Yale (252), Sacramento State (208), San Diego (202), Richmond (91), Monmouth (53), Colgate (45), Lehigh (27), Central Connecticut State (23), North Dakota (13), UC Davis (12), Western Carolina (10), Bethune-Cookman (9), Montana State (8), SFA (7), Eastern Illinois (6), Mercer (6), Southern Illinois (4), Harvard (4), Howard (4), Columbia (3), Dartmouth (3), Duquesne (3), N.C. Central (3), Citadel (2), **ALCORN (2)**, UT Martin (1), Southeastern La. (1)

## HBCU BOXTOROW COACHES POLL (8/7/18)

#	School	Points
1.	North Carolina A&T	208 (20)
2.	Grambling	175 (1)
3.	<b>ALCORN</b>	<b>130</b>
4.	Howard	128
5.	Bethune-Cookman	119
6.	Southern	106
7.	North Carolina Central	89
8.	Tennessee State	79
9.	Prairie View A&M	65
10.	Hampton	16

Others receiving votes: Alabama State (13), Norfolk State (8), FAMU (7), AAMU (4)

## FINAL 2017 SWAC STANDINGS

### WEST DIVISION

School	Conf.	Over.	Streak
1. Grambling State	7-0	11-2	L1
2. Southern	5-2	7-4	L1
3. Prairie View A&M	4-3	6-5	W3
4. Texas Southern	2-5	2-9	L1
5. Arkansas-Pine Bluff	1-6	2-9	L7

### EAST DIVISION

School	Conf.	Over.	Streak
<b>1. ALCORN</b>	<b>5-2</b>	<b>7-5</b>	<b>L2</b>
2. Alabama State	4-3	4-6	W1
t3. Alabama A&M	3-4	4-7	W1
t3. Jackson State	3-4	3-8	W2
5. Mississippi Valley St.	1-6	2-9	L4

## SCORES AROUND THE LEAGUE

### Upcoming Games (Week 1)

Prairie View at Rice (Aug. 25)  
Mississippi Valley at North Dakota (Aug. 30)  
Southern at TCU, 11 a.m.  
Alcorn at Georgia Tech, 11:30 a.m.  
Tuskegee at Alabama State, 5 p.m.  
Morehouse at UAPB, 6 p.m.  
Grambling at UL-Lafayette, 6 p.m.  
Texas Southern vs. UTPB, 7 p.m.  
Prairie View vs. NC Central (Sept. 2)

### Upcoming Games (Week 2)

Louisiana College at Alcorn, 6 p.m.  
Southern at LA Tech, 6 p.m.  
Texas Southern at Texas State, 6 p.m.  
Grambling at Northwestern State, 6 p.m.  
Prairie View at Sam Houston State, 6 p.m.  
Mississippi Valley at Jacksonville State, 6 p.m.  
Jackson State at Tennessee State, 6 p.m.  
North Alabama at Alabama A&M, 6 p.m.  
Cumberland at UAPB, 6 p.m.  
Alabama State at Auburn, 6:30 p.m.

## 2018 PRESEASON SWAC ALL-CONFERENCE

### PRESEASON ALL-SWAC FIRST-TEAM OFFENSE

**QB Noah Johnson, Alcorn**

**RB P.J. Simmons, Alcorn**

RB KeShawn Williams, UAPB

**OL Mustaffa Ibrahim, Alcorn**

OL Jeremiah Abby, Southern

OL William Waddell, Grambling State

OL Kyle Davis, Grambling State

OL Corbin Finlayson, Prairie View A&M

WR Quinn McElfresh, Mississippi Valley

WR Darrell Clark, Grambling State

TE Jordan Jones, Grambling State

### DEFENSE

DL Linwood Banks, Grambling State

DL La'Allan Clark, Grambling State

DL Brandon Varner, Grambling State

DL Vernon Moland, Alabama A&M

LB Patrick Harbin, Mississippi Valley

**LB Trae Ferrell, Alcorn**

LB De'Arius Christmas, Grambling State

DB Dylan Hamilton, Alabama A&M

DB Andre Augustine, Southern

DB Ju'Anthony Parker, Prairie View A&M

DB Percy Cargo, Grambling State

### SPECIAL TEAMS

K Marc Orozco, Grambling State

P Jamie Gillan, UAPB

RS KeShawn Williams, UAPB

### PRESEASON OFFENSIVE POY

**P.J. Simmons, Alcorn**

### PRESEASON ALL-SWAC SECOND-TEAM OFFENSE

QB Darryl Pearson Jr., Alabama State

RB Jordan Bentley, Alabama A&M

RB Dawonya Tucker, Prairie View A&M

**OL Deonte Brooks, Alcorn**

**OL Kevin Hall, Alcorn**

OL Roderick Smith, Prairie View A&M

OL Jimmy White, Texas Southern

OL Tytus Howard, Alabama State

WR Quintin Guice, Grambling State

WR Marcus Hardy, Prairie View A&M

TE Zarrian Holcombe, Prairie View A&M

### DEFENSE

DL Anfernee Mullins, Grambling State

**DL Sterling Shippy, Alcorn**

DL Kevin Agee, UAPB

DL Christian Clark, Alabama State

LB De'Andre Hagues, Grambling State

LB Malcolm Williams, Grambling State

**LB Solomon Muhammad, Alcorn**

LB Darron Johnson, Alabama State

DB Reggie Stubblefield, Prairie View A&M

DB Jeffrey Hill, Alabama State

**DB Brady Smith, Alcorn**

DB Dedrick Shy, Grambling State

### SPECIAL TEAMS

**K Corey McCullough, Alcorn**

**P Corey McCullough, Alcorn**

RS George Golden, Alabama State

### PRESEASON DEFENSIVE POY

De'Arius Christmas, Grambling State



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#	Full Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/Previous School
01	Daylon Burks	DB	5-11	200	Jr.	Lumberton, Miss. / Pearl River JC
02	Felix Harper	QB	5-11	180	R-So.	Fairburn, Ga. / Creekside HS
03	De'Shawn Waller	RB	5-11	210	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga. / Hutchinson CC
04	P.J. Simmons	RB	5-10	190	Sr.	Tallahassee, Fla. / Holmes County CC
05	Charles Hughes	WR	6-2	197	R-Sr.	Macon, Miss. / Noxubee County
06	Tavares Johnson Jr.	WR	6-3	185	R-Jr.	Cleveland, Miss. / Vicksburg HS
07	Tim McNair Jr.	WR	6-2	185	R-Fr.	Collins, Miss. / Prentiss HS
08	Nigel Wood	TE	6-4	230	Jr.	Poplarville, Miss. / East Central CC
11	Chris Blair	WR	6-3	200	Jr.	Louisville, Miss. / Hinds CC
12	Thaddeus Peyton	QB	6-4	210	R-So.	Monticello, Miss. / Lakeview Academy
13	Noah Johnson	QB	6-0	195	R-Jr.	Tampa, Fla. / Armwood HS
14	Calvontay Key	DB	6-2	165	Fr.	Gainesville, Fla. / Eastside HS
15	Keyron Kinsler	DB	5-11	185	Fr.	Micanopy, Fla. / North Marion HS
16	Juan Anthony Jr.	WR	6-0	185	R-Fr.	Woodville, Miss. / Wilkinson County HS
17	Jyron Russell	QB	6-3	195	Fr.	Grand Prairie, Texas / Timberview HS
18	Leishaun Ealey	DB	5-11	168	Sr.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Atlantic Coast HS
19	Corey McCullough	K	5-11	175	Jr.	Louisville, Miss. / Louisville HS
20	Allen Bruce	DB	6-0	168	R-Jr.	Lake Providence, La. / General Trass HS
21	Alonzo Nelson	DB	6-2	185	Fr.	Chicago, Ill. / Alpharetta HS
22	Taurence Wilson	DB	6-1	195	Jr.	Lakeland, Fla. / Kathleen HS
23	Marquise Forman	RB	5-9	180	R-Fr.	Cedar Hill, Texas / Cedar Hill HS
24	Jonathon Bolton	RB	6-0	190	Fr.	Purvis, Miss. / Purvis HS
25	Isiah Thomas	DB	6-0	190	Sr.	Decatur, Miss. / East Central CC
26	Quintin Smith	DB	6-1	172	Sr.	West Palm Beach, Fla. / American Heritage
27	Daniel Franklin	DB	5-11	170	R-Sr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Memphis East
28	Brady Smith	DB	6-0	185	R-Sr.	Batesville, Miss. / Northeast CC
29	Johnathon Hauer	WR	5-11	185	R-Sr.	Belzoni, Miss. / Humphreys County HS
30	Jaaron Jackson	DE	6-3	252	Fr.	Lakeland, Fla. / Kathleen HS
31	Makenzie Black	LB	6-0	220	Fr.	Jackson, Miss. / Callaway HS
32	Qwynnterio Cole	DB	6-3	190	So.	Memphis, Tenn. / East Memphis HS
33	Josias Jean	P	5-10	178	So.	Fort Myers, Fla. / Fort Myers HS
34	Alvin Wilson	LB	6-0	230	Sr.	Lexington, Miss. / Hinds CC
35	Nichel Herron	LB	6-1	205	R-So.	Memphis, Tenn. / Southwind HS
36	Roberto Aguirre	K	5-9	170	Fr.	Tallahassee, Fla. / Godby HS
37	Terry Whittington	LB	6-5	234	R-Jr.	Cooper City, Fla. / Cooper City High
38	Creo Argue	DE	6-2	220	So.	Crete, Ill. / Independence CC
39	Hakeim Warren	WR	6-1	185	Sr.	Greenwood, S.C. / Easley HS
41	Jalen Thomas	DB	6-2	210	R-Sr.	Cleveland, Miss. / Holmes CC
42	Daimen Anderson	LB	6-1	235	So.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Fletcher HS
43	Kevon Marsh	RB	6-0	190	R-Jr.	Morgan City, La. / Pearl River CC
44	Trae Ferrell	LB	6-1	250	Sr.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Atlantic Coast HS
45	Javen Morrison	DB	5-10	160	Jr.	Corinth, Miss. / Corinth HS
46	Matthew Stewart	LS	6-2	240	Sr.	Kossuth, Miss. / Itawamba CC
47	Trey Turner	RB	6-0	205	Fr.	Atmore, Ala. / Escambia Academy
48	Brelion Hollis	LB	6-0	195	Jr.	Monroe, La. / Ouachita
49	Solomon Muhammad	LB	6-1	235	Jr.	Birmingham, Ala. / Parker HS
50	James Claiborne	LB	6-0	200	Jr.	Fayette, Miss. / Hinds CC / Jefferson County
51	Darrell Henderson	DL	6-1	324	R-Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Duval Charter HS
52	Kwanzi Jackson	DL	6-3	250	Jr.	Palmetto, Fla. / Lovejoy HS
53	Wanya Morris	OL	6-2	290	Jr.	Brookhaven, Miss. / Southwest Mississippi JC
55	Sterling Shippy	DL	6-1	300	Sr.	Miami, Fla. / Coral Reef HS
56	Michael Ajumobi	OL	6-2	258	R-Jr.	Dallas, Texas / South Grand Prairie HS
58	Malik Holbert	LB	6-0	235	So.	Flowood, Miss. / Northwest Rankin HS





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60	Theron Bonds	DE	6-0	280	R-Jr.	Ponchatoula, La. / Ponchatoula HS
61	Chris Monroe	DL	6-1	250	So.	Petal, Miss. / Petal HS
62	Kevin Hall	OL	6-6	290	R-Jr.	Prentiss, Miss. / Prentiss HS
63	Pablo Williams Jr.	OL	6-7	344	Sr.	Jackson, Miss. / Jim Hill HS
64	Franklin Smith	OL	6-4	290	So.	Texarkana, Texas / Liberty-Eylau HS
65	Joshua Brown	OL	6-3	260	Fr.	Houston, Texas / Alief Taylor HS
67	Jemar Nunley	OL	6-2	300	Sr.	Lake, Miss. / Jones County JC
69	Deonte Brooks	OL	6-4	291	R-Jr.	Meridian, Miss. / Meridian HS
70	Joseph Milburn	OL	6-2	320	So.	Mansfield, Texas / Mansfield Legacy HS
71	Darius Smith	OL	6-0	240	Fr.	Louisville, Miss. / Louisville HS
73	Chris McCrea	OL	6-5	303	R-Sr.	St. Petersburg, Fla. / St. Petersburg HS
74	Columbus Willis	OL	6-5	300	So.	White Castle, La. / White Castle HS
75	Darius Davis	OL	6-4	317	Jr.	Clinton, La. / E. Feliciana
76	Mustaffa Ibrahim	OL	6-2	292	Jr.	Ridgeland, Miss. / Ridgeland HS
78	William Gordon	OL	6-5	336	R-Jr.	Miami, Fla. / Miami Norland HS
79	Delshun Bradwell	OL	6-4	290	Fr.	Quincy, Fla. / Godby HS
80	Corbin Johnson	WR	6-4	200	Sr.	Jackson, Miss. / Lanier HS
81	Raidarious Anderson	WR	6-5	198	Jr.	Oakland, Tenn. / Fayette Ware HS
82	LeCharles Pringle	WR	6-0	185	R-So.	Gautier, Miss. / Gautier HS
83	Andre Martin	WR	5-10	175	R-So.	New Orleans, La. / Joseph S. Clark HS
84	Jerimiah Green	TE	6-4	240	Fr.	Richmond, Texas / Fort Bend Bush HS
86	Kyontez Everett	TE	6-3	220	R-Jr.	Hattiesburg, Miss. / Mississippi Gulf Coast
87	Brandon Campbell	TE	6-4	253	R-Sr.	Pompano Beach, Fla. / American Heritage
88	Demetrius Lewis	TE	6-3	245	Jr.	Chicago, Ill. / Mount Carmel HS
89	Jaquaveon Boles	TE	6-4	245	Sr.	Dallas, Texas / Duncanville HS
90	Blake Thomas	DE	6-3	220	Fr.	Dallas, Texas / Duncanville HS
91	Myshawn Smith	DL	6-3	290	Sr.	Chicago, Ill. / Riverview HS / Northwood University
93	Kenneth Hagans	DL	6-3	250	Jr.	New Orleans, La. / Sophie B. Wright
94	Derrian Meminger	DL	6-2	290	Sr.	Sparta, Ga. / Indiana University
95	Matt Davis	DL	6-4	250	Sr.	Batesville, Miss. / Northwest CC
97	Keegan Hudson	DL	6-0	230	Jr.	Thompsons Station, Tenn. / Independence HS
99	Cornell Gilmore	DL	5-10	270	Sr.	Miami, Fla. / Miami Palmetto

### Coaching Staff

Head Coach:	Fred McNair
Defensive Coordinator:	Cedric Thornton
Offensive Coordinator:	Ryan Stanchek
Tight Ends/Recruiting Coordinator:	Elliott Wratten
Defensive Line:	Damon Frenchers
Wide Receivers:	Jason Phillips
Defense Ends:	Darius Hart
Special Teams:	Lane Powell
Quarterbacks:	Pat White
Defensive Backs/Safeties:	Chris Cash
Graduate Assistant:	Ryan Busz
Student Assistant:	Stephon Parker Jr.
Student Assistant:	Matthew Brown
Video Coordinator:	Ronald Williams
Equipment Manager:	Leroy Frederick

### Pronunciation Guide

#6 TAVARES Johnson Jr.	Tuh-var-is
#19 Corey MCCULLOUGH	Mih-cuh-luh
#29 Johnathon HAUER	Huh-yer
#32 QWYNNTERRIO Cole	Kwin-tere-ee-oh
#51 DARRELL Henderson	Deer-ohl
#56 Michael AJUMOBİ	Ah-juh-moe-be
#81 RAIDARIOUS Anderson	Ruh-deer-ee-is
#86 KYONTEZ Everett	Kon-tez



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## TWO-DEEP

### OFFENSE

QB	13	Noah Johnson (R-Junior, Tampa, Fla.)
	2	Felix Harper (R-Sophomore, Fairburn, Ga.)
RB	4	P.J. Simmons (Senior, Tallahassee, Fla.)
	23	Marquise Forman (R-Freshman, Cedar Hill, Texas)
	3	De'Shawn Waller (Junior, Atlanta, Ga.)
TE	89	Jaquaveon Boles (Senior, Dallas, Texas)
	88	Demetrius Lewis (Junior, Chicago, Ill.)
	8	Nigel Wood (Junior, Poplarville, Miss)
WR (X)	81	Raidarious Anderson (Junior, Oakland, Tenn.)
	7	Tim McNair Jr. (R-Freshman, Collins, Miss.)
WR (Z)	11	Chris Blair (Junior, Louisville, Miss.)
	5	Charles Hughes (R-Senior, Macon, Miss.)
	6	Tavares Johnson Jr. (R-Junior, Cleveland, Miss.)
WR (T)	16	Juan Anthony Jr. (R-Freshman, Woodville, Miss.)
	82	LeCharles Pringle (R-Sophomore, Gautier, Miss.)
RT	62	Kevin Hall (R-Junior, Prentiss, Miss.)
	64	Franklin Smith (Sophomore, Texarkana, Texas)
RG	75	Darius Davis (Junior, Clinton, La.)
	67	Jemar Nunley (Senior, Lake, Miss.)
	74	Columbus Willis (Sophomore, White Castle, La.)
C	76	Mustaffa Ibrahim (Junior, Ridgeland, Miss.)
	70	Joseph Milburn (Sophomore, Mansfield, Texas)
LG	69	Deonte Brooks (R-Junior, Meridian, Miss.)
	78	William Gordon (R-Junior, Miami, Fla.)
	79	Delshun Bradwell (Freshman, Quincy, Fla.)
LT	73	Chris McCrea (R-Senior, St. Petersburg, Fla.)
	63	Pablo Williams (Senior, Jackson, Mississippi)

### DEFENSE

DE	37	Terry Whittington (R-Junior, Cooper City, Fla.)
	38	Creo Argue (Sophomore, Crete, Ill.)
DT	55	Sterling Shippy (Senior, West Palm, Fla.)
	51	Darrell Henderson (R-Junior, Jacksonville, Fla.)
DT	60	Theron Bonds (R-Junior, Ponchatoula, La.)
	91	Myshawyn Smith (Senior, Chicago, Ill.)
	94	Derrian Meminger (Senior, Sparta, Ga.)
DE	44	Trae Ferrell (Senior, Jacksonville, Fla.)
	52	Kwanzi Jackson (Junior, Palmetto, Fla.)
	93	Kenneth Hagans (Junior, New Orleans, La.)
LB	25	Isiah Thomas (Senior, Decatur, Miss.)
	35	Nichel Herron (R-Sophomore, Memphis, Tenn.)
LB	49	Solomon Muhammad (Junior, Birmingham, Ala.)
	34	Alvin Wilson (Senior, Lexington, Miss.)
LB	48	Brelion Hollis (Junior, Monroe, La.)
	42	Damien Anderson (Sophomore, Jacksonville, Fla.)
LC	45	Javen Morrison (Junior, Corinth, Miss.)
	22	Taurence Wilson (Junior, Lakeland, Fla.)
RC	1	Daylon Burks (Junior, Lumberton, Miss.)
	20	AJ Bruce (R-Junior, Lake Providence, La.)
FS	28	Brady Smith (R-Senior, Batesville, Miss.)
	32	Qwynnterio Cole (Sophomore, Memphis, Tenn.)
SS	26	Quentin Smith (Senior, West Palm Beach, Fla.)
	15	Keyron Kinsler (Freshman, Micanopy, Fla.)

### SPECIAL TEAMS

K	19	Corey McCullough (Junior, Louisville, Miss.)
	33	Josias Jean (Sophomore, Fort Myers, Fla.)
P	19	Corey McCullough (Junior, Louisville, Miss.)
	36	Roberto Aguirre (Freshman, Tallahassee, Fla.)
LS	46	Matthew Stewart (Senior, Kossuth, Miss.)
	76	Mustaffa Ibrahim (Junior, Ridgeland, Miss.)
H	5	Charles Hughes (R-Senior, Macon, Miss.)
	82	LeCharles Pringle (R-Sophomore, Gautier, Miss.)
KR	23	Marquise Forman (R-Freshman, Cedar Hill, Texas)
	3	De'Shawn Waller (Junior, Atlanta, Ga.)
PR	23	Marquise Forman (R-Freshman, Cedar Hill, Texas)
	3	De'Shawn Waller (Junior, Atlanta, Ga.)

#### Coaches on the Field

Fred McNair, HC  
Cedric Thornton, DC  
Ryan Stanchek, OC  
Elliott Wratten, TE  
Pat White, QB  
Chris Cash, DB  
Darius Hart, DE

#### Coaches in the Press Box

Jason Phillips, WR  
Damon Frenchers, DL  
Lane Powell, ST  
Leroy Frederick, EQ





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## KEY RETURNERS

### NOAH JOHNSON (QB, R-JUNIOR)

Johnson has played in 15 games over the last two seasons. He led the team in scoring in 2016 with 60 points after throwing for 1,116 yards and 11 touchdowns, and rushing for 440 yards and 10 touchdowns. Last season, Johnson threw for 782 yards and four touchdowns, and rushed for 333 yards and six touchdowns. He has 31 career touchdowns with passing and throwing combined. Johnson tied the school record for touchdowns in a single game with eight against MVSU in 2016; it tied Steve McNair's eight TD's vs. Chattanooga in 1994. He threw for a career-high 355 yards against Arkansas-Pine Bluff in 2016, and rushed for a career-high 138 yards against Alabama A&M in 2017.



### P.J. SIMMONS (RB, SENIOR)

Simmons comes back as Alcorn's leading rusher who saw significant playing time last year. He racked up 687 yards and seven touchdowns in 2017. Simmons averaged a whopping 8.6 yards per rush with a long of 64 yards. Playing alongside HBCU All-American running back De'Lance Turner, Simmons averaged 62.5 rushing yards per game.

### MUSTAFA IBRAHIM (OL, JUNIOR)

Ibrahim, who was named to the All-Conference Second-Team last year, played in the middle of an offensive line that helped the Braves lead the SWAC in both total offense and rushing offense. He heavily aided the Braves in racking up 461.3 yards per game and 237.4 rushing yards per outing last year – both marks were top-10 in the country. He also blocked for running back De'Lance Turner who broke the school's single-season rushing record with 1,357 yards on the year which was second-most in the country. In 2016, Ibrahim was part of an offensive line that saw Alcorn rank top-10 in the nation in sacks allowed, giving up just 0.90 per game. He also contributed to the Braves ranking No. 17 in the country and second in the SWAC in rushing offense.

### COREY MCCULLOUGH (P/K, JUNIOR)

McCullough broke the school's single-season field goal record with 17 made last year. His 1.42 field goals made per game was fourth in the FCS. McCullough was also top-25 in the country in points per game (7.8), and top-20 in punting average (42.5 yards). He went on to earn All-Conference Second-Team accolades. McCullough also punted 54 times for 2,294 yards which was an average of 42.5 yards per boot. He cranked 16 punts for over 50 yards with a long of 58. McCullough's field goal long is 49 yards which is one yard shy of the school record.

### BRADY SMITH (DB, R-SENIOR)

Brady Smith was the leader of the Braves defense last year and started in 11 games. He was second on the team in tackles with 55 including 31 unassisted. Smith was also credited for a 1.5 tackles for a loss and seven pass breakups.

### JAVEN MORRISON (DB, JUNIOR)

Javen Morrison has led the Braves in interceptions in back-to-back years. As a freshman, he earned the starting job after recording three interceptions for 95 yards. Morrison notched six tackles and a pass breakup in the 2016 SWAC Championship game. Last season, Morrison registered three more interceptions for 59 yards and broke-up a team-high 13 passes and forced a fumble at Grambling State. It went along with his 40 tackles on the year.



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## 2014-17 FINAL STANDINGS

### 2014

East Division	SBC	Overall	Streak
<b>Alcorn</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>10-3</b>	<b>W1</b>
Alabama State	5-4	7-5	W3
Jackson State	3-6	5-7	W2
Alabama A&M	3-6	4-8	L3
Mississippi Valley State	1-8	2-9	L4

West Division	SBC	Overall	Streak
Southern	8-1	9-4	L1
Grambling State	7-2	7-5	L2
Prairie View A&M	5-4	5-5	W2
Arkansas Pine-Bluff	3-6	4-7	W1
Texas Southern	3-6	5-6	L5

### 2015

East Division	SBC	Overall	Streak
<b>Alcorn</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>9-4</b>	<b>L1</b>
Alabama State	5-4	6-5	W1
Alabama A&M	3-6	3-8	W1
Jackson State	3-6	3-8	L3
Mississippi Valley State	1-8	1-10	L1

West Division	SBC	Overall	Streak
Grambling State	9-0	9-3	L1
Prairie View A&M	8-1	8-2	W6
Southern	6-3	6-5	L1
Texas Southern	2-7	3-7	L4
Arkansas Pine-Bluff	1-8	2-9	W1

### 2016

East Division	Conf.	Over.	Streak
<b>Alcorn</b>	<b>5-4</b>	<b>5-6</b>	<b>L1</b>
Alabama A&M	4-5	4-7	L1
Alabama State	3-6	3-7	L1
Jackson State	3-6	3-8	L4
Mississippi Valley State	1-8	1-10	L2

West Division	Conf.	Over.	Streak
Grambling State	9-0	12-1	W11
Southern	8-1	8-3	L1
Prairie View A&M	7-2	7-4	W1
Texas Southern	4-5	4-7	L1
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	1-8	1-10	L8

### JACK SPINKS-

### MARINO CASEM STADIUM

In its 27th season, Jack Spinks-Marino Casem Stadium was constructed by architect Cooke Douglass Farr Lemons and opened in 1992. It has a playing surface of natural grass with a capacity of 22,500. The stadium is also the home of the Alcorn State soccer program.

John Robert "Jack" Spinks (Aug. 15 1930 - Sept. 29, 1994) played five seasons in the NFL. He was the first Brave to play in the NFL and was drafted by the Pittsburgh Steelers in 1952.

Marino Casem was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2003. He coached Alcorn to four Black College National Championships and seven SWAC titles. Casem also served as the athletic director at Alcorn from 1966-1986. After that, he served for many years on the NCAA's Football Rules Committee and Executive Committee. Casem has also been inducted into the SWAC Hall of Fame, Alcorn Hall of Honor and Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame. He's received the National Football Foundation's Outstanding Contribution to Amateur Football award and the Football Writers Association Citation of Honor.



### 2017

East Division	SBC	Overall	Streak
<b>Alcorn</b>	<b>5-2</b>	<b>7-5</b>	<b>L2</b>
Alabama State	4-3	4-6	W1
Alabama A&M	3-4	4-7	W1
Jackson State	3-4	3-8	W2
Mississippi Valley State	1-6	2-9	L4

West Division	SBC	Overall	Streak
Grambling State	7-0	11-2	L1
Southern	5-2	7-4	L1
Prairie View A&M	4-3	6-5	W3
Texas Southern	2-5	2-9	L1
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	1-6	2-9	L7

# Alcorn Combined Team Statistics (as of Dec 02, 2017)

## All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
Sep 02, 2017	MILES	W 50-21	10751
Sep 08, 2017	at FIU	L 10-17	5017
Sep 16, 2017	MCNEESE STATE	L 27-34	12608
* Sep 23, 2017	SOUTHERN	W 48-31	23738
Sep 29, 2017	at Texas Southern	W 24-17	2785
* Oct 05, 2017	at Alabama State	W 24-10	15553
* Oct 14, 2017	PRAIRIE VIEW A&M	W 34-21	21509
* Oct 21, 2017	at #17 Grambling State	L 14-41	12147
* Nov. 4, 2017	ALABAMA A&M	W 47-22	7515
* Nov 11, 2017	MVSU	W 59-0	6957
* Nov 18, 2017	at Jackson State	L 3-7	12903
Dec 2, 2017	vs Grambling State	L 32-40	24610

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
De'Lance Turner	12	180	1401	44	1357	7.5	10	88	113.1
P.J. Simmons	11	80	727	40	687	8.6	7	64	62.5
L. Footman	9	103	585	133	452	4.4	7	50	50.2
Noah Johnson	6	50	428	95	333	6.7	6	69	55.5
Kevon Marsh	12	15	60	5	55	3.7	0	14	4.6
Total	12	444	3219	370	2849	6.4	30	88	237.4
Opponents	12	392	1877	302	1575	4.0	13	83	131.2

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
L. Footman	9	138.57	140-232-4	60.3	1863	10	70	207.0
Noah Johnson	6	121.05	55-104-4	52.9	782	4	66	130.3
Felix Harper	3	173.50	4-4-0	100.0	35	0	13	11.7
Norlando Veals	11	244.40	1-2-0	50.0	7	1	7	0.6
Total	12	134.27	200-342-8	58.5	2687	15	70	223.9
Opponents	12	115.30	208-405-9	51.4	2708	15	57	225.7

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Norlando Veals	11	49	901	18.4	7	66	81.9
Marquis Warford	10	34	396	11.6	2	69	39.6
Charles Hughes	12	31	423	13.6	1	29	35.2
Tavares Johnson	12	24	191	8.0	1	19	15.9
Jalen Walker	12	22	336	15.3	0	43	28.0
De'Lance Turner	12	21	212	10.1	3	70	17.7
R. Anderson	3	5	120	24.0	0	56	40.0
P.J. Simmons	11	5	2	0.4	0	5	0.2
Corbin Johnson	11	2	24	12.0	0	14	2.2
L. Pringle	12	1	25	25.0	0	25	2.1
Jaquaveon Boles	11	1	13	13.0	0	13	1.2
Andre Martin	1	1	13	13.0	0	13	13.0
Kontez Everett	11	1	11	11.0	0	11	1.0
Asante Griffin	1	1	10	10.0	0	10	10.0
L. Footman	9	1	7	7.0	1	7	0.8
Total	12	200	2687	13.4	15	70	223.9
Opponents	12	208	2708	13.0	15	57	225.7

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
C. McCullough	17-23	73.9	1-1	6-7	8-11	2-4	0-0	49	2

Scoring	td	fg	PAT	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
C. McCullough	-	17-23	43-45	-	-	-	-	-	-	94
De'Lance Turner	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78
L. Footman	8	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	48
Norlando Veals	7	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	44
P.J. Simmons	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42
Noah Johnson	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36
Marquis Warford	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Charles Hughes	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Tavares Johnson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	46	17-23	43-45	-	1	1-1	-	-	-	372
Opponents	33	9-14	32-33	-	-	-	-	-	2	261

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Alcorn	88	105	103	76	0	372
Opponents	55	97	50	59	0	261

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All games	7-5	5-1	2-3	0-1
Conference	5-2	4-0	1-2	0-0
Non-Conference	2-3	1-1	1-1	0-1

Team Statistics	ALCN	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	241	210
Rushing	121	79
Passing	103	114
Penalty	17	17
RUSHING YARDAGE	2849	1575
Rushing Attempts	444	392
Average Per Rush	6.4	4.0
Average Per Game	237.4	131.2
TDs Rushing	30	13
PASSING YARDAGE	2687	2708
Comp-Att-Int	200-342-8	208-405-9
Average Per Pass	7.9	6.7
Average Per Catch	13.4	13.0
Average Per Game	223.9	225.7
TDs Passing	15	15
TOTAL OFFENSE	5536	4283
Average Per Play	7.0	5.4
Average Per Game	461.3	356.9
KICK RETURNS: #Yards	44-941	61-1133
PUNT RETURNS: #Yards	34-268	22-130
INT RETURNS: #Yards	9-144	8-150
FUMBLES-LOST	19-12	19-11
PENALTIES-Yards	135-1288	96-807
PUNTS-AVG	55-42.1	77-37.1
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	30:45	29:08
3RD-DOWN Conversions	63/155	69/185
4TH-DOWN Conversions	5/15	9/19

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Javen Morrison	3	59	19.7	0	30
Nick Brown	1	10	10.0	0	10
Jalen Thomas	1	4	4.0	0	4
Leishaun Ealey	1	0	0.0	0	0
Allen Bruce	1	0	0.0	0	0
Isiah Thomas	1	0	0.0	0	0
S. Muhammad	1	71	71.0	0	71

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
C. McCullough	54	2294	42.5	58	5	4	17	16	0
Noah Johnson	1	23	23.0	23	0	0	1	0	0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jalen Walker	17	89	5.2	0	17
Marquis Warford	16	175	10.9	1	72
Norlando Veals	1	4	4.0	0	4
Total	34	268	7.9	1	72
Opponents	22	130	5.9	0	42

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Marquis Warford	30	639	21.3	0	67
De'Lance Turner	5	191	38.2	0	92
P.J. Simmons	4	46	11.5	0	18
Jalen Walker	2	3	1.5	0	3
Kontez Everett	1	-1	-1.0	0	0
Hakeim Warren	1	34	34.0	0	34
Kevon Marsh	1	29	29.0	0	29
Total	44	941	21.4	0	92
Opponents	61	1133	18.6	1	93

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
De'Lance Turner	12	1357	212	0	191	0	1760	146.7
Marquis Warford	10	-9	396	175	639	0	1201	120.1
Norlando Veals	11	0	901	4	0	0	905	82.3
P.J. Simmons	11	687	2	0	46	0	735	66.8
L. Footman	9	452	7	0	0	0	459	51.0
Total	12	2849	2687	268	941	144	6889	574.1
Opponents	12	1575	2708	130	1133	150	5696	474.7

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
L. Footman	9	335	452	1863	2315	257.2
De'Lance Turner	12	180	1357	0	1357	113.1
Noah Johnson	6	154	333	782	1115	185.8
P.J. Simmons	11	80	687	0	687	62.5
Kevon Marsh	12	15	55	0	55	4.6
Total	12	786	2849	2687	5536	461.3



Alcorn Overall Team Statistics (as of Dec 02, 2017)  
All games

Team Statistics	ALCN	OPP
SCORING	372	261
Points Per Game	31.0	21.8
Points Off Turnovers	60	45
FIRST DOWNS	241	210
Rushing	121	79
Passing	103	114
Penalty	17	17
RUSHING YARDAGE	2849	1575
Yards gained rushing	3219	1877
Yards lost rushing	370	302
Rushing Attempts	444	392
Average Per Rush	6.4	4.0
Average Per Game	237.4	131.2
TDs Rushing	30	13
PASSING YARDAGE	2687	2708
Comp-Att-Int	200-342-8	208-405-9
Average Per Pass	7.9	6.7
Average Per Catch	13.4	13.0
Average Per Game	223.9	225.7
TDs Passing	15	15
TOTAL OFFENSE	5536	4283
Total Plays	786	797
Average Per Play	7.0	5.4
Average Per Game	461.3	356.9
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	44-941	61-1133
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	34-268	22-130
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	9-144	8-150
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	21.4	18.6
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	7.9	5.9
INT RETURN AVERAGE	16.0	18.8
FUMBLES-LOST	19-12	19-11
PENALTIES-Yards	135-1288	96-807
Average Per Game	107.3	67.2
PUNTS-Yards	55-2317	77-2857
Average Per Punt	42.1	37.1
Net punt average	37.9	32.8
KICKOFFS-Yards	72-4073	54-3034
Average Per Kick	56.6	56.2
Net kick average	38.1	36.4
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	30:45	29:08
3RD-DOWN Conversions	63/155	69/185
3rd-Down Pct	41%	37%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	5/15	9/19
4th-Down Pct	33%	47%
SACKS BY-Yards	27-162	22-136
MISC YARDS	0	21
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	46	33
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	17-23	9-14
ON-SIDE KICKS	1-3	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(36-47) 77%	(20-31) 65%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(24-47) 51%	(16-31) 52%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(43-45) 96%	(32-33) 97%
ATTENDANCE	83078	48405
Games/Avg Per Game	6/13846	5/9681
Neutral Site Games		1/24610

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Alcorn	88	105	103	76	0	372
Opponents	55	97	50	59	0	261



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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
De'Lance Turner	12	180	1401	44	1357	7.5	10	88	113.1
P.J. Simmons	11	80	727	40	687	8.6	7	64	62.5
L. Footman	9	103	585	133	452	4.4	7	50	50.2
Noah Johnson	6	50	428	95	333	6.7	6	69	55.5
Kevon Marsh	12	15	60	5	55	3.7	0	14	4.6
Tavares Johnson	12	3	5	5	0	0.0	0	5	0.0
Norlando Veals	11	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Marquis Warford	10	6	13	22	-9	-1.5	0	11	-0.9
Felix Harper	3	2	0	12	-12	-6.0	0	0	-4.0
TEAM	6	4	0	14	-14	-3.5	0	0	-2.3
Total	12	444	3219	370	2849	6.4	30	88	237.4
Opponents	12	392	1877	302	1575	4.0	13	83	131.2

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
L. Footman	9	138.57	140-232-4	60.3	1863	10	70	207.0
Noah Johnson	6	121.05	55-104-4	52.9	782	4	66	130.3
Felix Harper	3	173.50	4-4-0	100.0	35	0	13	11.7
Norlando Veals	11	244.40	1-2-0	50.0	7	1	7	0.6
Total	12	134.27	200-342-8	58.5	2687	15	70	223.9
Opponents	12	115.30	208-405-9	51.4	2708	15	57	225.7

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Norlando Veals	11	49	901	18.4	7	66	81.9
Marquis Warford	10	34	396	11.6	2	69	39.6
Charles Hughes	12	31	423	13.6	1	29	35.2
Tavares Johnson	12	24	191	8.0	1	19	15.9
Jalen Walker	12	22	336	15.3	0	43	28.0
De'Lance Turner	12	21	212	10.1	3	70	17.7
R. Anderson	3	5	120	24.0	0	56	40.0
P.J. Simmons	11	5	2	0.4	0	5	0.2
Corbin Johnson	11	2	24	12.0	0	14	2.2
L. Pringle	12	1	25	25.0	0	25	2.1
Jaquaveon Boles	11	1	13	13.0	0	13	1.2
Andre Martin	1	1	13	13.0	0	13	13.0
Kontez Everett	11	1	11	11.0	0	11	1.0
Asante Griffin	1	1	10	10.0	0	10	10.0
L. Footman	9	1	7	7.0	1	7	0.8
B. Campbell	11	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.3
Total	12	200	2687	13.4	15	70	223.9
Opponents	12	208	2708	13.0	15	57	225.7

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jalen Walker	17	89	5.2	0	17
Marquis Warford	16	175	10.9	1	72
Norlando Veals	1	4	4.0	0	4
Total	34	268	7.9	1	72
Opponents	22	130	5.9	0	42

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Javen Morrison	3	59	19.7	0	30
Isiah Thomas	1	0	0.0	0	0
S. Muhammad	1	71	71.0	0	71
Nick Brown	1	10	10.0	0	10
Leishaun Ealey	1	0	0.0	0	0
Jalen Thomas	1	4	4.0	0	4
Allen Bruce	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	9	144	16.0	0	71
Opponents	8	150	18.8	2	51

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Marquis Warford	30	639	21.3	0	67
De'Lance Turner	5	191	38.2	0	92
P.J. Simmons	4	46	11.5	0	18
Jalen Walker	2	3	1.5	0	3
Kontez Everett	1	-1	-1.0	0	0
Kevon Marsh	1	29	29.0	0	29
Hakeim Warren	1	34	34.0	0	34
Total	44	941	21.4	0	92
Opponents	61	1133	18.6	1	93

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Trae Ferrell	1	50	50.0	0	49
Travelle Ware	1	18	18.0	0	18
Total	2	68	34.0	0	49
Opponents	1	19	19.0	2	19

## 2018 GAME-BY-GAME CAPTAINS

Georgia Tech:

Louisiana College:

Texas Southern:

Mississippi Valley:

Southern:

Alabama State:

Alabama A&M:

Grambling State:

Prairie View A&M:

New Mexico State:

Jackson State:

SWAC Championship:



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##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds		int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
18	Leishaun Ealey	11	29	28	57	0.5-1	.	1-0	5	.	.	.	1	.
28	Brady Smith	11	31	24	55	1.5-5	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.
37	T. Whittington	10	28	25	53	13.5-41	2.0-17	.	2	1	1-0	.	.	.
49	S. Muhammad	7	27	25	52	6.5-39	2.0-31	1-71	2	2	.	2	.	.
34	Alvin Wilson	11	10	34	44	0.5-1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
94	Michael Brooks	10	9	32	41	8.5-37	6.0-30	.	2	1	.	1	1	.
25	Isiah Thomas	12	23	17	40	3.0-6	.	1-0	1	1	1-0	1	.	.
45	Javen Morrison	11	30	10	40	3.0-9	.	3-59	13	.	.	1	.	.
50	Ramonte Bell	12	14	25	39	11.0-36	4.0-20	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
40	Trae Ferrell	11	14	23	37	11.0-41	4.0-25	.	4	1	3-50	2	.	.
91	Myshawn Smith	12	11	26	37	2.5-12	1.0-11	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
1	Deago Sama	12	27	10	37	2.0-3	.	.	10	1	.	2	.	.
26	Quintin Smith	10	14	18	32	4.0-17	0.5-1	.	6	.	.	.	.	.
51	D. Henderson	12	7	24	31	2.0-7	0.5-2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
48	Brelion Hollis	8	12	19	31	2.0-5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
3	O.J. O'Neal	9	17	11	28	0.5-2	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.
60	Theron Bonds	12	8	18	26	6.0-14	2.0-6	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
55	Sterling Shippy	11	8	9	17	3.5-8	0.5-0	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
42	Daimen Anderson	12	3	11	14	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	2-0	.	.	.
31	Christian Brown	11	4	10	14	1.0-5	0.5-4	.	.	1	1-0	.	.	.
35	Nichel Herron	12	4	9	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
52	Kwanzi Jackson	4	3	10	13	1.5-4	1.5-3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
38	Terrold Gary	12	7	5	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	Allen Bruce	8	9	2	11	1.0-2	.	1-0	2	.	.	.	.	.
82	L. Pringle	12	7	3	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	Johnathon Hauer	9	6	4	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
32	Q. Cole	12	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	1	.	.
43	Kevon Marsh	12	2	6	8	0.5-3	0.5-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
47	Travelle Ware	7	5	2	7	3.5-14	2.0-9	.	.	1	1-18	.	.	.
41	Jalen Thomas	10	4	3	7	.	.	1-4	1	.	.	.	.	.
24	Nick Brown	6	3	2	5	1.0-3	.	1-10	1	.	.	.	.	.
39	Hakeim Warren	9	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	C. McCullough	12	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46	Matthew Stewart	12	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
36	Titus Lee	6	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
84	Jalen Walker	12	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6	Tavares Johnson	12	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	Josias Jean	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
89	Jaquaveon Boles	11	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
77	Leroy Greenidge	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	L. Footman	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
22	Taurence Wilson	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
5	Charles Hughes	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	Corbin Johnson	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4	P.J. Simmons	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		12	394	460	854	91-317	27-162	9-144	64	18	11-68	13	2	.
Opponents		12	415	449	864	96-357	22-136	8-150	32	17	12-19	10	4	2





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## INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	22	De'Lance Turner at Alabama State (Oct 05, 2017)
Yards Rushing	272	De'Lance Turner vs Southern (Sep 23, 2017)
TD Rushes	2	L. Footman vs Miles (Sep 02, 2017)
	2	De'Lance Turner vs Southern (Sep 23, 2017)
	2	P.J. Simmons vs Southern (Sep 23, 2017)
	2	L. Footman at Alabama State (Oct 05, 2017)
	2	Noah Johnson vs Prairie View A&M (Oct 14, 2017)
	2	De'Lance Turner at Grambling State (Oct 21, 2017)
	2	Noah Johnson vs Alabama A&M (Nov. 4, 2017)
	2	P.J. Simmons vs Alabama A&M (Nov. 4, 2017)
	2	De'Lance Turner vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
	2	Noah Johnson vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
	2	De'Lance Turner vs Grambling State (Dec 2, 2017)
Long Rush	88	De'Lance Turner vs Miles (Sep 02, 2017)
Pass attempts	45	L. Footman vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
Pass completions	27	L. Footman vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Passing	424	L. Footman vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
TD Passes	3	L. Footman vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
	3	Noah Johnson vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Long Pass	70	L. Footman vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
Receptions	9	Norlando Veals vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Yards Receiving	253	Norlando Veals vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
TD Receptions	3	Norlando Veals vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Long Reception	70	De'Lance Turner vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
Field Goals	4	C. McCullough vs Alabama A&M (Nov. 4, 2017)
Long Field Goal	49	C. McCullough at FIU (Sep 08, 2017)
Punts	7	C. McCullough at Jackson State (Nov 18, 2017)
Punting Avg	52.0	C. McCullough vs Miles (Sep 02, 2017)
Long Punt	58	C. McCullough vs Miles (Sep 02, 2017)
Punts inside 20	3	C. McCullough at Grambling State (Oct 21, 2017)
	3	C. McCullough at Jackson State (Nov 18, 2017)
Long Punt Return	72	Marquis Warford vs Miles (Sep 02, 2017)

## TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	48	vs Southern (Sep 23, 2017)
Yards Rushing	424	vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Yards Per Rush	12.6	vs Alabama A&M (Nov. 4, 2017)
TD Rushes	5	vs Alabama A&M (Nov. 4, 2017)
	5	vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Pass attempts	46	vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
Pass completions	28	vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Passing	431	vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Per Pass	14.6	vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
TD Passes	4	vs McNeese State (Sep 16, 2017)
Total Plays	75	vs Prairie View A&M (Oct 14, 2017)
Total Offense	746	vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Yards Per Play	11.0	vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Points	59	vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Sacks By	5	vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
First Downs	31	vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Penalties	17	vs Miles (Sep 02, 2017)
	17	vs MVSU (Nov 11, 2017)
Penalty Yards	191	vs Alabama A&M (Nov. 4, 2017)

## 2017 Final: Where Alcorn Ranked in the SWAC

### TEAM RANKINGS (TOP-2)

1st in total offense (461.3 ypg)  
 1st in rushing offense (237.4 ypg)  
 1st in first downs (241)  
 1st in red zone defense (64.5 percent)  
 2nd in scoring offense (31.0 ppg)  
 2nd in third down conversions (40.6 percent)

### INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS (TOP-5)

1st - De'Lance Turner in rushing (112.9 ypg)  
 1st - De'Lance Turner in all-purpose yards per game (146.5)  
 1st - De'Lance Turner in total touchdowns (13)  
 1st - Lenorris Footman in total yards per game (257.2 ypg)  
 1st - Norlando Veals in receiving yards per game (81.9 ypg)  
 1st - Trae Ferrell in fumbles recovered (3)  
 1st - Corey McCullough in points per game (7.8)  
 1st - Corey McCullough in field goals made per game (1.42)  
 2nd - Norlando Veals in receptions per game (4.5)  
 2nd - Corey McCullough in punting average (42.5)  
 2nd - Javen Morrison in passes defended per game (1.36)  
 3rd - Lenorris Footman in passing yards per game (207.0 ypg)  
 3rd - Terry Whittington in tackles for loss per game (1.35)  
 3rd - Javen Morrison in interceptions (3)  
 4th - Marquis Warford in all-purpose yards per game (120.1)  
 4th - Michael Brooks in sacks per game (0.6)  
 4th - Trae Ferrell in forced fumbles (2)

## 2017 Final: Where Alcorn Ranked in the FCS

### TEAM RANKINGS (TOP-25)

5th in red zone defense (64.5 percent)  
 9th in rushing offense (237.4 ypg)  
 9th in total offense (461.3 ypg)  
 16th in team tackles for loss (7.6 per game)  
 24th in pass yards per completion (13.44)

### INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS (TOP-20)

2nd - De'Lance Turner in rushing yards per carry (7.54)  
 2nd - De'Lance Turner in total rushing yards (1,357)  
 4th - Corey McCullough in field goals made per game (1.42)  
 6th - De'Lance Turner in all-purpose yards per game (146.5)  
 6th - Javen Morrison in passes defended per game (1.36)  
 9th - Trae Ferrell in fumbles recovered (3)  
 13th - Corey McCullough in points per game (7.8)  
 17th - Corey McCullough in punting average (42.5)  
 19th - De'Lance Turner in total touchdowns (13)



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### CAREER-HIGHS AT ALCORN

#### #2 FELIX HARPER

Passing Completions \_\_\_\_ 3 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Passing Yards \_\_\_\_ 25 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Passing Long \_\_\_\_ 13 (MVSU, 11/11/17)

#### #4 P.J. SIMMONS

Rushing Yards \_\_\_\_ 172 (AAMU, 11/4/17)  
 Rushing Carries \_\_\_\_ 10 (three times)  
 Rushing Long \_\_\_\_ 64 (MILES, 9/2/17)  
 Rushing TD's \_\_\_\_ 2 (two times)  
 Receptions \_\_\_\_ 1 (three times)  
 Receiving Yards \_\_\_\_ 5 (Southern, 9/23/17)  
 Receiving Long \_\_\_\_ 5 (Southern, 9/23/17)  
 All-Purpose Yards \_\_\_\_ 186 (AAMU, 11/4/17)

#### #5 CHARLES HUGHES

Receptions \_\_\_\_ 4 (six times)  
 Receiving Yards \_\_\_\_ 67 (vs. GRAM, 12/2/17)  
 Receiving Long \_\_\_\_ 40 (Ala St., 9/10/16)  
 Receiving TD's \_\_\_\_ 1 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)  
 Kick Return Long \_\_\_\_ 17 (PVAM, 11/7/15)  
 Punt Return Long \_\_\_\_ 18 (@TXSO, 11/14/15)  
 Passing Attempts \_\_\_\_ 1 (Concordia, 9/26/15)  
 Passing Yards \_\_\_\_ 8 (Concordia, 9/26/15)  
 Passing Long \_\_\_\_ 8 (Concordia, 9/26/15)  
 Rushing Carries \_\_\_\_ 1 (GRAM, 10/17/15)  
 Rushing Yards \_\_\_\_ 10 (GRAM, 10/17/15)  
 Rushing Long \_\_\_\_ 10 (GRAM, 10/17/15)

#### #6 TAVARES JOHNSON

Rushing Carries \_\_\_\_ 1 (four times)  
 Rushing Yards \_\_\_\_ 20 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Rushing Long \_\_\_\_ 20 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Rushing TD's \_\_\_\_ 1 (JSU, 11/19/16)  
 Receptions \_\_\_\_ 6 (vs. FIU, 9/8/17)  
 Receiving Yards \_\_\_\_ 44 (vs. FIU, 9/8/17)  
 Receiving Long \_\_\_\_ 19 (McNeese, 9/16/17)  
 Receiving TD's \_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)  
 Kick Return Yards \_\_\_\_ 89 (UAPB, 9/15/16)  
 Kick Return Long \_\_\_\_ 34 (UAPB, 9/15/16)  
 All-Purpose Yards \_\_\_\_ 89 (UAPB, 9/15/16)

#### #13 NOAH JOHNSON

Passing Completions \_\_\_\_ 30 (UAPB, 9/15/16)  
 Passing Attempts \_\_\_\_ 41 (UAPB, 9/15/16)  
 Passing Yards \_\_\_\_ 355 (UAPB, 9/15/16)  
 Passing TD's \_\_\_\_ 7 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Passing Long \_\_\_\_ 66 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Rushing Carries \_\_\_\_ 15 (UAPB, 9/15/16)  
 Rushing Yards \_\_\_\_ 138 (AAMU, 11/4/17)  
 Rushing TD's \_\_\_\_ 3 (UAPB, 9/15/16)  
 Rushing Long \_\_\_\_ 69 (AAMU, 11/4/17)  
 Total TD's \_\_\_\_ 8 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Punting Yards \_\_\_\_ 23 (@JSU, 11/18/17)  
 Punting Long \_\_\_\_ 23 (@JSU, 11/18/17)

#### #18 LEISHAUN EALEY

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 10 (two times)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 0.5 (MILES, 9/2/17)  
 Interceptions \_\_\_\_ 1 (three times)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_ 2 (two times)  
 Fumbles Recovered \_\_\_\_ 1 (UAPB, 9/15/16)

#### #19 COREY MCCULLOUGH

Field Goals Made \_\_\_\_ 4 (AAMU, 11/4/17)  
 Field Goal Long \_\_\_\_ 49 (vs. FIU, 9/8/17)  
 Kickoffs \_\_\_\_ 10 (MILES, 9/2/17)  
 Kickoff Yards \_\_\_\_ 539 (MILES, 9/2/17)  
 PATs Made \_\_\_\_ 6 (Southern, 9/23/17)  
 Total Points \_\_\_\_ 17 (AAMU, 11/4/17)  
 Punting Yards \_\_\_\_ 309 (AAMU, 11/4/17)  
 Punting Long \_\_\_\_ 58 (MILES, 9/2/17)  
 Passing Attempts \_\_\_\_ 1 (Ala St., 9/10/16)  
 Passing Yards \_\_\_\_ 10 (Ala St., 9/10/16)  
 Passing Long \_\_\_\_ 10 (Ala St., 9/10/16)

#### #20 ALLEN BRUCE

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 5 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 1.0 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_ 1 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)  
 Interceptions \_\_\_\_ 1 (MVSU, 11/11/17)

#### #22 TAURENCE WILSON

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)

#### #25 ISIAH THOMAS

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 13 (at TXSO, 9/29/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 3.0 (at TXSO, 9/29/17)  
 Interceptions \_\_\_\_ 1 (at TXSO, 9/29/17)  
 Forced Fumbles \_\_\_\_ 1 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Fumbles Recovered \_\_\_\_ 1 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)

#### #26 QUINTIN SMITH

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 7 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 1.5 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_ 3 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)

#### #27 DANIEL FRANKLIN

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 11 (@Arkansas, 10/1/16)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 1.0 (two times)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_ 0.5 (Ala St., 9/10/16)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_ 2 (TXSO, 10/15/16)  
 Forced Fumbles \_\_\_\_ 1 (UAPB, 9/15/16)

#### #28 BRADY SMITH

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 14 (vs. FIU, 9/8/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 0.5 (three times)

#### #29 JOHNATHAN HAUER

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 2 (three times)  
 Forced Fumbles \_\_\_\_ 1 (McNeese, 9/16/17)

#### #32 QWYNNTERRIO COLE

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 2 (three times)  
 Forced Fumbles \_\_\_\_ 1 (MILES, 9/2/17)  
 Fumbles Recovered \_\_\_\_ 1 (AAMU, 11/4/17)

#### #33 JOSIAS JEAN

Kickoffs \_\_\_\_ 9 (two times)  
 Kickoff Yards \_\_\_\_ 551 (AAMU, 11/4/17)

#### #34 ALVIN WILSON

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 9 (Southern, 9/23/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 0.5 (Southern, 9/23/17)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)

#### #35 NICHEL HERRON

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 3 (Southern, 9/23/17)  
 Forced Fumbles \_\_\_\_ 1 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)

#### #37 TERRY WHITTINGTON

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 10 (vs. GRAM, 12/2/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 3.0 (@JSU, 11/18/17)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_ 1.0 (two times)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)  
 Fumbles Recovered \_\_\_\_ 1 (MILES, 9/2/17)

#### #38 TERROLD GARY

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 3 (AAMU, 11/4/17)

#### #41 JALEN THOMAS

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 4 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Interceptions \_\_\_\_ 1 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_ 1 (MVSU, 11/11/17)

#### #42 DAIMEN ANDERSON

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 2 (three times)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 1 (AAMU, 11/4/17)  
 Fumbles Recovered \_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)

#### #43 KEVON MARSH

Rushing Carries \_\_\_\_ 11 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Rushing Yards \_\_\_\_ 49 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Rushing Long \_\_\_\_ 14 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Kickoff Return Yards \_\_\_\_ 29 (MVSU, 11/11/17)  
 Kickoff Return Long \_\_\_\_ 29 (MVSU, 11/11/17)

#### #44 TRAE FERRELL

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 7 (AAMU, 11/4/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 2 (five times)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_ 1 (five times)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_ 1 (four times)  
 Forced Fumbles \_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)  
 Fumbles Recovered \_\_\_\_ 1 (three times)  
 Fumble Rec. Yards \_\_\_\_ 50 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)

#### #45 JAVEN MORRISON

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 7 (two times)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 1 (four times)  
 Interceptions \_\_\_\_ 1 (six times)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_ 2 (four times)  
 Forced Fumbles \_\_\_\_ 1 (@Grambling, 10/21/17)  
 All-Purpose Yards \_\_\_\_ 65 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)

#### #46 MATTHEW STEWART

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)  
 Fumbles Recovered \_\_\_\_ 1 (MILES, 9/2/17)

#### #47 TRAVELLE WARE

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 3 (UAPB, 9/15/16)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_ 1.0 (at Grambling, 10/21/17)  
 Fumbles Recovered \_\_\_\_ 1 (vs. GRAM, 12/2/17)

#### #48 BRELION HOLLIS

Tackles \_\_\_\_ 8 (@JSU, 11/18/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_ 0.5 (two times)



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## CAREER-HIGHS AT ALCORN

### #49 SOLOMON MUHAMMAD

Tackles \_\_\_\_\_ 13 (Southern, 9/23/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_\_ 4 (vs. FIU, 9/8/17)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_\_ 2.0 (vs. FIU, 9/8/17)  
 Forced Fumbles \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (three times)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (vs. FIU, 9/8/17)  
 Interceptions \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (Southern, 9/23/17)  
 INT Return Yards \_\_\_\_\_ 71 (Southern, 9/23/17)  
 Punt Return Yards \_\_\_\_\_ 59 (JSU, 11/19/16)  
 Punt Return Long \_\_\_\_\_ 59 (JSU, 11/19/16)  
 Punt Return TD's \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (JSU, 11/19/16)

### #51 DARRELL HENDERSON

Tackles \_\_\_\_\_ 8 (JSU, 11/19/16)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_\_ 1.0 (JSU, 11/19/16)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_\_ 2 (JSU, 11/19/16)

### #52 KWANZI JACKSON

Tackles \_\_\_\_\_ 7 (McNeese, 9/16/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_\_ 3 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)

### #55 STERLING SHIPPY

Tackles \_\_\_\_\_ 8 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_\_ 4 (JSU, 11/19/16)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_\_ 1.0 (two times)

### #60 THERON BONDS

Tackles \_\_\_\_\_ 5 (two times)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_\_ 1.5 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_\_ 1.0 (vs. GRAM, 12/2/17)

### #80 CORBIN JOHNSON

Receptions \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)  
 Receiving Yards \_\_\_\_\_ 14 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)  
 Receiving Long \_\_\_\_\_ 14 (PVAMU, 10/14/17)  
 Tackles \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (@Arkansas, 10/1/16)

### #81 RAIDARIOUS ANDERSON

Receptions \_\_\_\_\_ 2 (two times)  
 Receiving Yards \_\_\_\_\_ 80 (McNeese, 9/16/17)  
 Receiving Long \_\_\_\_\_ 56 (McNeese, 9/16/17)

### #82 LECHARLES PRINGLE

Tackles \_\_\_\_\_ 2 (two times)

### #86 KYONTEZ EVERETT

Receptions \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (MILES, 9/2/17)  
 Receiving Yards \_\_\_\_\_ 11 (MILES, 9/2/17)

### #87 BRANDON CAMPBELL

Receptions \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)  
 Receiving Yards \_\_\_\_\_ 38 (@Southern, 10/31/15)  
 Receiving TD's \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (@Southern, 10/31/15)  
 Receiving Long \_\_\_\_\_ 38 (@Southern, 10/31/15)

### #88 DEMETRIUS LEWIS

Receptions \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Receiving Yards \_\_\_\_\_ 5 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Receiving Long \_\_\_\_\_ 5 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Receiving TD's \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)

### #89 JAQUAVEON BOLES

Receptions \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (two times)  
 Receiving Yards \_\_\_\_\_ 13 (MILES, 9/2/17)  
 Receiving Touchdowns \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (vs. GRAM, 12/5/15)  
 Receiving Long \_\_\_\_\_ 13 (MILES, 9/2/17)

### #91 MYSHAWN SMITH

Tackles \_\_\_\_\_ 8 (McNeese, 9/16/17)  
 Tackles For Loss \_\_\_\_\_ 2 (@MVSU, 11/12/16)  
 Sacks \_\_\_\_\_ 1.0 (AAMU, 11/4/17)  
 Broken Up Passes \_\_\_\_\_ 1 (Southern, 9/23/17)

## 2018 GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Opp	Score	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR	TE
GT												
LA C												
TSU												
MVSU												
SU												
ASU												
AAMU												
GSU												
PV												
NMSU												
JSU												
SWAC												

Opp	Score	DE	DE	DT	DT	LB	LB	LB	CB	CB	SS	FS
GT												
LA C												
TSU												
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## ABOUT ALCORN STATE UNIVERSITY

Alcorn is the oldest public historically black land-grant institution in the United States and the second-oldest state-supported institution of higher learning in Mississippi. Alcorn University was founded in 1871 as a result of the people of Mississippi's efforts to educate the descendants of formerly enslaved Africans. It was named in honor of the sitting governor of Mississippi, James L. Alcorn.

Alcorn is situated in Claiborne County, seven miles west of Lorman, 80 miles south of the capital city of Jackson, 45 miles south of Vicksburg, and 40 miles north of Natchez. The site was originally occupied by Oakland College, a school established by Presbyterians in 1828; the state of Mississippi purchased the Oakland campus for \$40,000 and named it Alcorn University. Hiram R. Revels resigned his seat as a United States senator to become the University's first president. The state legislature provided \$50,000 cash annually for the University's first 10 years to support its establishment and overall operation. Additionally, 30 acres of land were sold for \$188,928; Alcorn received three-fifths of the proceeds, or \$113,400. This funding was used for Alcorn's agricultural and mechanical components.

Initially, the institution's three major study components were the four-year college track, the two-year college track, and the three-year graded track. Students spent the morning, from seven o'clock until noon, in classes. In the afternoon, they worked in various University shops for eight cents per hour. Room and board, including laundry, cost about \$5 a month.

In 1878, Alcorn University became Alcorn Agricultural and Mechanical College. The college was exclusively for males at first, but eventually women were admitted. A dormitory for women was built in 1902. Over time, facilities increased from three historic buildings to more than 80 structures. The original purchase of 225 acres of land grew to a campus of more than 1,700 acres.

In 1974, Alcorn Agricultural and Mechanical College became Alcorn State University. Governor William L. Waller signed House Bill 298, granting this status. Alcorn has thrived by continuously accomplishing dynamic goals and objectives despite limited resource allocations from the state. By the early 1990s, Alcorn's

physical plant and academic programs evolved into a more diversified University. The student population is now representative of more than 65 counties, more than 30 states, and at least 18 foreign countries. The University provides an undergraduate education that enables students to successfully pursue work in graduate and professional schools, engage in teaching, and enter other professions.



As Mississippi recognized the importance of educating all citizens, Alcorn has gained status and importance. From the original eight faculty members in 1871, the University has grown to more than 800 faculty and staff. The student body has increased from 179 students to more than 4,000 students with varied ethnic backgrounds. Although early graduates of Alcorn had limited horizons, today's graduates are successful in their chosen professions, and many are outstanding entrepreneurs. Throughout Alcorn's history, the leadership and faculty remained committed to enhancing the institution's image and to attracting young people whose interest is the pursuit and receipt of a quality education. Over the decades, "the college that excelled against great odds" has become one of the leading universities in the nation. Alcorn State University operates divisions with degree programs in more than 50 areas, including the bachelor's, master's, and educational specialist degrees.

The collaborative strength and contributions of Alcorn's past 18 presidents during its more than 140 years of existence have enabled the institution to excel. On March 4, 2014, the Mississippi Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning voted unanimously to appoint Dr. Alfred Rankins Jr. as Alcorn State University's 19th president. President Rankins' background and vision are strategically aligned with Alcorn's history and tradition. He is poised to expeditiously move Alcorn State University to the next level of excellence.

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