

2022 STARTERS BY POSITION

OFFENSE

Pos.	#	Player	Starts
QB	3	Tommy DeVito	5
RB	2	Chase Brown	5
WR	7	Brian Hightower	5
	1	Isaiah Williams	5
	13	Pat Bryant	5
TE	89	Tip Reiman	5
OL	63	Alex Palczewski	5
	72	Zy Crisler	5
	75	Alex Philstrom	5
	78	Isaiah Adams	5
	54	Julian Pearl	4
	66	Jordyn Slaughter	1

DEFENSE

Pos.	#	Player	Starts
DL	4	Jer'Zhan Newton	5
	88	Keith Randolph Jr.	5
	93	Calvin Avery	4
	91	Jamal Woods	1
LB	5	Calvin Hart Jr.	5
	8	Tarique Barnes	5
OLB	49	Seth Coleman	5
	33	Ezekiel Holmes	1
	17	Gabe Jacas	1
DB	10	Tahveon Nicholson	5
	21	Jartavius Martin	5
	30	Sydney Brown	5
	31	Devon Witherspoon	5
	7	Kendall Smith	3

SPECIAL TEAMS

Pos.	#	Player	Starts
K	5	Caleb Griffin	5
P	19	Hugh Robertson	5
LS	39	Aidan Hall	5

CAREER STARTS ILLINOIS GAMES ONLY

PLAYER	'22	'21	'20	'19	'18	'17	TOT
Palczewski, Alex	5	12	4	13	12	11	57
Brown, Sydney	5	12	6	10	10	--	43
Martin, Jartavius	5	8	2	5	8	--	28
Witherspoon, Devon	5	10	6	3	--	--	24
Brown, Chase	5	9	6	0	0	--	20
Newton, Jer'Zhan	5	11	3	--	--	--	19
Pearl, Julian	4	11	4	--	--	--	19
Woods, Jamal	1	1	3	5	4	4	17
Barnes, Tarique	5	10	2	0	--	--	17
Ford, Luke	0	12	2	--	--	--	14
Williams, Isaiah	5	5	4	--	--	--	14
Hightower, Brian	5	1	7	--	--	--	13
Coleman, Seth	5	3	4	0	--	--	12
Pihlstrom, Alex	5	5	2	0	--	--	12
Randolph, Keith	5	7	0	0	--	--	12
Washington, Casey	0	5	1	5	--	--	11
Brown, Verdis	0	0	8	0	--	--	8
Avery, Calvin	4	2	2	--	--	--	8
Bryant, Pat	5	3	--	--	--	--	8
Reiman, Tip	5	3	0	--	--	--	8
Nicholson, Tahveon	5	2	--	--	--	--	7
Hart Jr., Calvin	5	1	--	--	--	--	6
Marchese, Michael	0	1	2	0	3	0	6
Adams, Isaiah	5	--	--	--	--	--	5
Crisler, Zy	5	--	--	--	--	--	5
DeVito, Tommy	5	--	--	--	--	--	5
Smith, Kendall	3	1	0	0	0	--	4
Sitkowski, Artur	0	3	--	--	--	--	3
Barnes, Bryce	0	0	2	--	--	--	2
Slaughter, Jordyn	1	0	1	--	--	--	2
Barlev, Zach	0	1	--	--	--	--	1
Jacas, Gabe	1	--	--	--	--	--	1
Holmes, Ezekiel	1	--	--	--	--	--	1
McCray, Josh	0	1	--	--	--	--	1
Pate, Deon	0	0	0	0	1	--	1
Scott, Miles	0	1	--	--	--	--	1

-- = Redshirted/did not play/not on squad; 0 = Played, didn't start

2022 ILLINOIS FOOTBALL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	ELIG.	HOMETOWN	HIGH SCHOOL	PREVIOUS COLLEGE
0	Josh McCray	RB	6-1	235	So.	Enterprise, Ala.	Enterprise	
1	Kionte Curry	DB	6-0	200	R-Fr.	Mims, Fla.	Cocoa	
1	Isaiah Williams	WR	5-10	180	So.	St. Louis, Mo.	Trinity Catholic	
2	Matthew Bailey	DB	6-2	205	Fr.	Moline, Ill.	Moline	
2	Chase Brown	RB	5-11	205	Jr.	London, Ontario	St. Stephen's Episcopal (Fla.)	Western Michigan
3	Tommy DeVito	QB	6-2	210	Sr.	Cedar Grove, N.J.	Don Bosco Prep	Syracuse
3	DD Snyder II	DB	6-0	180	R-Fr.	Tampa, Fla.	Tampa Catholic	
4	Jer'Zhan Newton	DL	6-2	295	So.	St. Petersburg, Fla.	Clearwater Central Catholic	
4	Khmari Thompson	WR	6-1	210	Jr.	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Central Gwennett	Missouri
5	Caleb Griffin	K	6-3	215	Jr.	Danville, Ill.	Danville	
5	Calvin Hart Jr.	LB	6-1	230	Jr.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	American Heritage	North Carolina State
6	Ashton Hollins	WR	6-5	180	Fr.	Lucedale, Miss.	George County	
6	Terrell Jennings	DB	6-1	190	Sr.	Knob Hill, Colo.	Pine Creek	Minnesota State
7	Brian Hightower	WR	6-3	215	Jr.	Los Angeles, Calif.	IMG Academy (Fla.)	Miami (Fla.)
7	Kendall Smith	DB	6-1	205	Sr.	Bolingbrook, Ill.	Bolingbrook	
8	Tarique Barnes	LB	6-1	230	Jr.	Memphis, Tenn.	Cordova	
8	Shawn Miller	WR	6-1	195	Fr.	Chandler, Ariz.	IMG Academy (Fla.)	
9	Tyson Rooks	DB	6-4	190	Fr.	St. Simons Island, Ga.	Glynn Academy	
9	Artur Sitkowski	QB	6-5	225	Jr.	Old Bridge, N.J.	IMG Academy (Fla.)	Rutgers
10	Donovan Leary	QB	6-2	215	Fr.	Sicklerville, N.J.	Timber Creek	
10	Tahveon Nicholson	DB	5-11	180	So.	Jacksonville, Fla.	Lee	
11	Jake Huber	QB	6-1	205	R-Fr.	Spring Grove, Ill.	Richmond-Burton	
11	Jonah Morris	WR	6-4	220	Sr.	Akron, Ohio	Hoban	Northern Colorado
12	Elijah Mc-Cantos	DB	6-0	180	Fr.	Miami, Fla.	Edison	
12	Kirkland Michaux	QB	6-4	225	Fr.	Austin, Texas	Westlake	Blinn JC
13	Pat Bryant	WR	6-3	195	So.	Jacksonville, Fla.	Atlantic Coast	
14	Xavier Scott	DB	5-11	185	Fr.	Riviera Beach, Fla.	Dwyer	
14	Casey Washington	WR	6-2	200	Jr.	Round Rock, Texas	Pflugerville	
15	Prince Green	DB	6-3	215	R-Fr.	Griffin, Ga.	Griffin	
15	Jameson Sheehan	QB	6-4	205	Fr.	Cary, Ill.	Cary-Grove	
16	Will McManus	K	5-10	185	Fr.	Glyndon, Md.	The Hun School (N.J.)	
16	Peyton Vining	DB	6-2	200	Sr.	Bradenton, Fla.	St. Stephen's Episcopal	Denison
17	Gabe Jacas	OLB	6-3	265	Fr.	Port St. Lucie, Fla.	Fort Pierce Central	
17	Ryan Johnson	QB	6-4	225	Sr.	Green Bay, Wis.	Ashwaubenon	Northern Michigan
18	Chase Miller	WR	6-1	180	Fr.	Baltimore, Md.	IMG Academy (Fla.)	
19	Eian Pugh	WR	6-3	170	Fr.	Naperville, Ill.	Fenwick	
19	Hugh Robertson	P	6-2	225	R-Fr.	Melbourne, Australia	Assumption College Kilmore	
20	Naivyan Cargill	TE	6-4	230	Fr.	Riviera Beach, Fla.	Palm Beach Gardens	
20	Tyler Strain	DB	5-9	180	R-Fr.	Pace, Fla.	Pace (Fla.)	
21	Aidan Laughery	RB	5-11	200	Fr.	Gibson City, Ill.	GCMS	
21	Jartavius Martin	DB	6-0	195	Sr.	Lehigh Acres, Fla.	Lehigh Acres	
22	Chase Hayden	RB	5-10	205	Sr.	Memphis, Tenn.	Saint George's Independent	East Carolina
23	TeRah Edwards	DL	6-2	320	R-Fr.	Groveport, Ohio	Groveport Madison	Northwestern
23	Reggie Love III	RB	5-11	205	So.	St. Louis, Mo.	Trinity Catholic	
24	Nick Fedanzo	RB	6-0	210	So.	Lombard, Ill.	Montini Catholic	
25	Jordan Anderson	RB	6-4	240	Fr.	Naperville, Ill.	Joliet Catholic	
25	Jared Badie	OLB	6-3	225	Fr.	Aurora, Ill.	Oswego East	
26	Mike Manning	DB	5-8	190	So.	Frankfort, Ill.	Lincoln-Way East	Butler
27	Matthew Bobak	DB	5-11	200	R-Fr.	Hinsdale, Ill.	Hinsdale Central	
28	Dylan Rosiek	LB	6-1	225	R-Fr.	East Lake, Fla.	East Lake	
29	TJ Griffin	DB	6-0	200	Fr.	Hickory Hills, Ill.	Amos Alonzo Stagg	
30	Sydney Brown	DB	6-0	205	Sr.	London, Ontario	St. Stephen's Episcopal (Fla.)	
31	Devon Witherspoon	DB	6-0	180	Jr.	Pensacola, Fla.	Pine Forest	
32	Tailon Leitzsey	DB	6-0	190	Sr.	Laurel, Md.	Riverside (S.C.)	Missouri Baptist
33	Ezekiel Holmes	OLB	6-5	245	Jr.	Wichita Falls, Texas	Hirschi	
34	Ryan Meed	LB	6-1	230	So.	Brooklyn, N.Y.	Canarsie	
35	Grayson Griffin	DB	5-11	180	Fr.	Aurora, Ill.	St. Francis	
36	Lane Hansen	LS	6-0	220	R-Fr.	East Lake, Fla.	East Lake	
36	Ben Schultz	OLB	6-3	230	So.	Champaign, Ill.	Central	

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37	Solo Turner	DB	6-2	220	So.	Frisco, Texas	Prestonwood Christian	Hawaii
38	Isaac Darkangelo	LB	6-1	230	Sr.	Brighton, Mich.	Detroit Catholic Central	
39	Aidan Hall	LS	6-2	205	So.	Glen Ellyn, Ill.	Benet Academy	
39	Kenenna Odeluga	LB	6-1	230	R-Fr.	South Holland, Ill.	Mount Carmel	
40	Lucas Althaus	TE	6-6	240	R-Fr.	Alpha, Ill.	Alwood	
40	Shammond Cooper	OLB	6-2	220	So.	St. Louis, Mo.	Trinity Catholic	
41	James Kreutz	LB	6-0	210	Fr.	Bannockburn, Ill.	Loyola Academy	
42	Michael Marchese	TE	6-4	235	Sr.	Vernon Hills, Ill.	Stevenson	
42	Luke Zardzin	LB	6-0	205	R-Fr.	Mount Prospect, Ill.	Prospect	
43	Griffin Moore	TE	6-4	250	So.	Bloomington, Ill.	Bloomington	
44	Ben Clawson	WR	6-0	200	Fr.	Arlington Heights, Ill.	Hersey	
45	Malachi Hood	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	Plainfield, Ill.	Joliet Catholic	
47	Preston Engel	LS	6-0	250	Jr.	Normal, Ill.	Normal Community	
48	Bryce Barnes	DL	6-2	280	Jr.	Gibson City, Ill.	Gibson City-Melvin-Sibley	
48	Mike Cerniglia Jr.	TE	6-3	240	So.	Madison, Wis.	Memorial	Northern Illinois
49	Seth Coleman	OLB	6-5	240	So.	Melbourne, Fla.	Holy Trinity Episcopal Academy	
52	Verdis Brown	DL	6-4	345	Jr.	Chicago, Ill.	IMG Academy (Fla.)	
53	Devin Hale	OL	6-0	310	R-Fr.	Springfield, Ill.	Sacred Heart-Griffin	
54	Julian Pearl	OL	6-6	315	Jr.	Danville, Ill.	Danville	
55	Sed McConnell	DL	6-3	280	R-Fr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Westlake	
56	Magnus Møller	OL	6-9	310	Fr.	Veije, Denmark	Rødkilde Gymnasium	
57	Evan Kirts	DL	6-5	300	So.	Evergreen Park, Ill.	Brother Rice	
58	Matt Fries	OL	6-5	275	Fr.	Cranford, N.J.	Cranford	
62	Sam Tsaglis	OL	6-2	275	Fr.	Arlington Heights, Ill.	Prospect	
63	Alex Palczewski	OL	6-6	315	Sr.	Mount Prospect, Ill.	Prospect	
64	Josh Kreutz	OL	6-2	280	R-Fr.	Bannockburn, Ill.	Loyola Academy	
65	Joey Okla	OL	6-2	325	Fr.	Hartland, Wis.	Arrowhead	
66	Jordyn Slaughter	OL	6-5	325	Jr.	Belleville, Ill.	Althoff Catholic	
68	Zachary Barlev	OL	6-5	305	R-Fr.	Bolingbrook, Ill.	Plainfield East	
70	Tommy Cronin	OL	6-4	310	So.	Oak Park, Ill.	Oak Park River Forest	
71	Hunter Whitnack	OL	6-7	345	Fr.	New Carlisle, Ind.	New Prairie	
72	Zy Crisler	OL	6-6	330	So.	Crystal Springs, Miss.	Copiah Academy	Mississippi Gulf Coast CC
73	Josh Gesky	OL	6-5	325	R-Fr.	Manteno, Ill.	Manteno	
74	Dylan Davis	OL	6-4	300	So.	Sarasota, Fla.	St. Stephen's Episcopal	Furman
75	Alex Pihlstrom	OL	6-6	305	Sr.	Glen Ellyn, Ill.	Glenbard West	
76	Clayton Leonard	OL	6-4	290	Fr.	Danforth, Ill.	Iroquois West	
78	Isaiah Adams	OL	6-5	315	Jr.	Ajax, Ontario	McLellan Catholic	Garden City CC (Kan.)
79	Luciano Elias	OL	6-5	320	Fr.	Wilmette, Ill.	New Trier	
80	Hank Beatty	WR	5-11	185	Fr.	Rochester, Ill.	Rochester	
81	Daniel Edwards	WR	5-11	160	R-Fr.	Winter Park, Fla.	Winter Park	
82	Luke Ford	TE	6-6	265	Sr.	Cartersville, Ill.	Cartersville	Georgia
83	Keion Battle	WR	6-1	200	R-Fr.	Plainfield, Ill.	Oswego East	Northern Illinois
84	Owen Anderson	TE	6-4	230	Fr.	Skillman, N.J.	The Hun School	
85	Miles Scott	WR	5-11	200	R-Fr.	Dolton, Ill.	Thornton Fractional North	
86	Weston Adams	WR	5-11	195	Fr.	Shell, Wyo.	IMG Academy (Fla.)	
87	Kody Case	WR	5-10	180	Sr.	Lake City, Iowa	South Central Calhoun	South Dakota
88	Henry Boyer	TE	6-6	265	Fr.	Chicago, Ill.	Brother Rice	
88	Keith Randolph Jr.	DL	6-5	305	So.	Belleville, Ill.	Belleville West	
89	Tip Reiman	TE	6-5	265	So.	Rapid City, S.D.	O'Gorman	
90	Alec Bryant	OLB	6-3	240	R-Fr.	Pearland, Texas	Shadow Creek	Virginia Tech
91	Jamal Woods	DL	6-2	290	Sr.	Hueytown, Ala.	Hueytown	
93	Calvin Avery	DL	6-2	325	Sr.	Dallas, Texas	Bishop Dunne	
94	Raashaan Wilkins	DL	6-3	315	Jr.	Chicago, Ill.	Mt. Carmel	Vanderbilt
95	Nico Crawford	LS	6-1	250	Fr.	Dublin, Ohio	Dublin Scioto	
96	Josh Leff	P	5-10	190	Fr.	Westlake Village, Calif.	Sierra Canyon	
98	Deon Pate	OLB	6-2	265	Sr.	Jacksonville, Fla.	Trinity Christian Academy	
98	Fabrizio Pinton	K/P	6-3	230	R-Fr.	Houston, Texas	The Woodlands	Air Force
99	Christian Lorenzo	DL	6-3	285	Fr.	DeKalb, Ill.	DeKalb	

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