
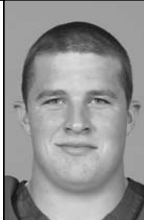


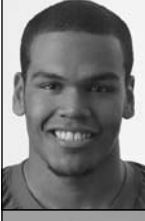



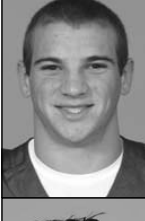

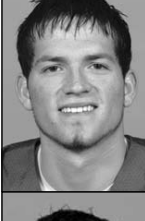







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	<p>39 Collin Cox WR 6-2 187 SO Rowlett, Texas Rowlett High School</p>		<p>37 Matthew Moreland K 6-1 195 FR Tulsa, Okla. Bishop Kelley High School</p>
	<p>41 Derek Gove RB 5-9 185 RS-FR Carrrollton, Texas Creekview High School</p>		<p>5 John Nimmo QB 6-1 190 RS-FR Ponca City, Okla. Ponca City High School</p>
	<p>13 Michael Hayes DB 5-10 190 RS-FR Altus, Okla. Altus High School</p>		<p>54 Tommy Taggart DT 6-3 285 JR Euleus, Texas Trinity High School</p>
	<p>57 Brock Hesse LB 5-10 204 SO Mesquite, Texas Poteet High School</p>		<p>11 Chase Wasson WR 5-11 180 SR Southlake, Texas Texas State</p>
	<p>59 Zach Howard OL 6-0 250 RS-FR Shawnee, Okla. Shawnee High School</p>		<p>35 Carter Whitson WR 5-11 190 SO Shawnee, Okla. Shawnee High School</p>

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Due to the smallest senior class in Bob Stoops' tenure, the Sooners had only 20 scholarships to assign.

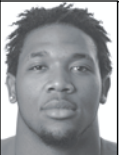
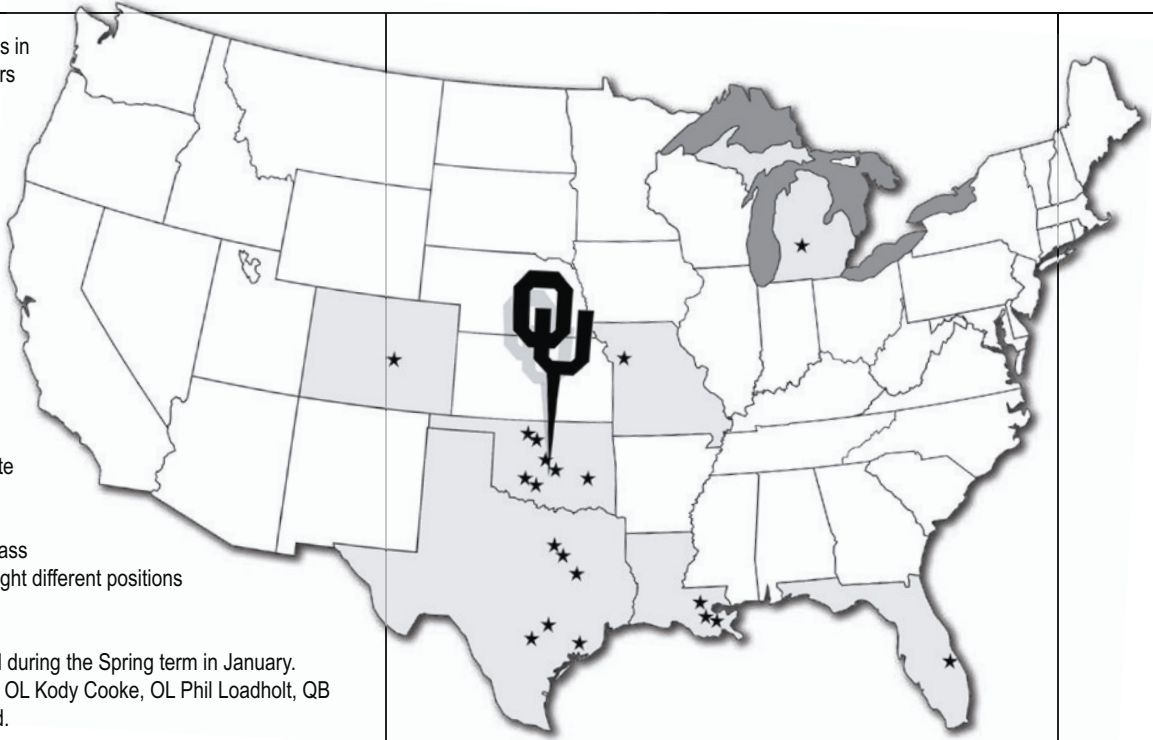
Oklahoma still filled its needs by picking up five offensive lineman and three each of linebackers, defensive ends and receivers while still affording key skill positions such as quarterback and place kicker.

Two defensive backs, one defensive tackle and one athlete also signed with the Sooners.

The 2007 Oklahoma signing class represents seven states and eight different positions on the field.

Several from the class enrolled during the Spring term in January. Those included LB Austin Box, OL Kody Cooke, OL Phil Loadholt, QB Keith Nichol and LB Mike Reed.

Loadholt and Reed are the lone junior college transfers.



84 Frank Alexander

DE | 6-5 | 235 | Baton Rouge, La. | Southern Lab School

Had 76 tackles and a team-leading 13 sacks his senior year ... four year starter ... also saw time on offense as a tight-end ... named first-team all-state ... selected for all-district and all-metro teams ... chosen to the East Meets West All-American game ... all-district on both sides of the ball his junior season ... bench presses 315 and squats 430 pounds ... runs a 4.7 40-yard dash ... parents: Frank and Juanita Alexander ... coached by Michael Roach ... born Dec. 17, 1989.



42 Austin Box

LB | 6-3 | 220 | Enid, Okla. | Enid High School

Enrolled at OU in January ... played QB, FS, RB and WR in high school ... completed 55% of passes (126-231) for 1,938 yards with 13 TD as a senior, leading team to runner-up finish in class 6A ... ran for 1,086 yards and 15 TD ... recorded 71 tackles and three interceptions ... ran back two kickoffs for TDs ... senior team captain ... named *Parade* All-American ... named Defensive POY and all-state by *The Oklahoman* ... all-state by *Tulsa World* ... named conference POY ... played in the U.S. Army All-Star Game ... MVP of the 2006 state American Legion tournament ... his teams won state crowns in 2005 and 2006 and a national title ... runs a 4.6 40-yard dash ... parents: Craig and Gail Box ... his father played football at Northwestern Oklahoma State ... coached by Tom Cobble ... born Aug. 10, 1988.



87 David Anderson

DE | 6-5 | 220 | Lawton, Okla. | MacArthur High School

Had 82 tackles, two fumbles caused and recovered as a senior... also had 12 QB hurries and 11 sacks ... named second-team all-state by *The Daily Oklahoman* ... first-team all-state by Coaches Association ... All-district in class 5A-1 ... *Lawton Constitution* all-area ... all-district in basketball and third in the state meet in the 110 meter high hurdles ... coached by Ernie Manning ... parent: Alicia Scott ... born Oct. 26, 1988.



85 Ryan Broyles

WR | 6-0 | 170 | Norman, Okla. | Norman High School

Had 73 tackles and six INT as a senior ... recorded 44 catches for 908 yards and eight TD, and rushed for 345 yards and 12 TD ... averaged 20.6 yards per catch ... during his senior season, he scored touchdowns as an RB, WR and KR ... career 79 receptions for 1,688 yards and 18 TD ... career 157 tackles and 20 INT ... named to the 6A-2 all-district team ... chosen for the All-American Offense-Defense Bowl ... selected to the Oklahoma Coaches Association All-State team ... clocked at 4.51 40-yard dash ... first-team all-state by *Tulsa World* and *The Oklahoman* ... earned all-city honors as a junior ... also recruited as a basketball player, averaging 18 ppg ... parents: Edward and Stephanie Moore ... coached by Butch Peters ... born April 9, 1988.

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99 Jonte Bumpus

DE | 6-4 | 220 | Muskogee, Okla. | Muskogee High School

Recorded 92 tackles and nine sacks as a senior in Oklahoma's 6A Class ... also recorded 10 tackles for loss, nine forced passes, and three fumble recoveries ... named first-team all-state by *The Oklahoman* and *Tulsa World* ... defensive lineman of the year in district 6A-4 ... collected 96 tackles and four sacks as a junior ... also a track and field athlete ... parent: Vida Bumpus ... coached by Matt Hennesy ... born Dec. 12, 1988.



6 Desmond Jackson

DB | 5-11 | 187 | Seguin, Texas | Seguin High School

Recorded 86 tackles and three interceptions as a senior ... ran three kick-offs and two punt returns back for touchdowns ... on offense he recorded eight receptions for 210 yards and one TD ... selected to play in Offense-Defense Bowl in Florida ... chosen to play in the Austin Wrangler's Lone Star Arena Football Classic and selected for the Oil Bowl ... voted first-team all-area ... seven interceptions, six taken back for touchdowns as a junior ... All-San Antonio selection as a junior ... runs a 4.5 40-yard dash ... bench presses 305 and squats 425 pounds ... grandson of Melanie Bruns ... coached by Jim Carson ... born April 3, 1989.



64 Kody Cooke

OL | 6-4 | 315 | Enid, Okla. | Enid High School

Enrolled at OU in January ... had a blocking rate of 89 percent his senior year ... team captain as a senior ... named first-team all-state by *The Oklahoman* and *Tulsa World* ... co-offensive linemen of the year in Oklahoma district 6A-3 ... helped lead the Plainsmen to a runner-up finish in class 6A in his senior year ... named offensive player of the year by his team ... National Honor Society member ... parents: Kent and Angie Cooke ... coached by Tom Cobble ... born June 17, 1989.



28 Travis Lewis

LB | 6-2 | 220 | San Antonio, Texas | Robert E. Lee HS

Played linebacker and running back in high school ... rushed for 1,436 yards on 222 carries with nine touchdowns as a senior ... also caught 10 passes for 108 yards and a score ... selected to the US Army All-American game ... named all-area and all-metro as a senior ... all-district and invited to the Army All-American combine as a junior ... in 2005 he rushed 109 times for 577 yards over a four-game stretch ... invited to the Army Combine and Nike Camp ... all-district as a junior ... runs a 4.34 40-yard dash ... benches 335 and squats 515 pounds ... coached by Jimmy Ramos ... parents: James Lewis and Dori Schwartz ... born Jan. 15, 1988.



32 Jamell Fleming

DB | 5-11 | 187 | Arlington, Texas | Seguin High School

Shutdown corner at Seguin where he received first team all-district as a senior ... caught 29 passes for 481 yards and four touchdowns his senior season ... second-team Associated Press All-State ... APSE Class 4A first-team all-state ... 34-inch vertical leap ... played in All-American Offense-Defense Bowl in Florida ... bench presses 320 and squats 375 pounds ... runs a 4.56 40-yard dash ... coached by Ricky Albus ... parents: Ralph and Sharon Fleming ... born May 5, 1989.



79 Phil Loadholt

OL | 6-8 | 350 | Fountain, Colo. | Garden City CC

Enrolled at OU in January ... played at Garden City (Kan.) CC where he was a two-time junior college All-American ... Jayhawk Conference Lineman of the Year in 2006 ... had 93 pancake blocks and 113 tackles in 2006 ... won the Student Support Service Award and was named to the 3.0 Student Excellence List ... high school at Fountain Fort Carson in Fountain, Colo., where he was also a standout basketball and track and field athlete ... as a senior, he had 113 tackles along with eight TD ... named Colorado Springs Area Player of the Year ... team captain and two-time all-stater ... led hoops team to the state title game when he averaged 17 points, 11 rebounds and three blocks per game ... won a state championship in the discus ... coached by Mitch Johnson ... parents: Phillip and Brenda Loadholt ... born Jan. 21, 1986 in Honolulu, Hawaii ... was a teammate of current Sooner D.J. Wolfe in the seventh, eighth and 10th grades when both resided in Colorado.



54 Jason Hannan

OL | 6-3 | 270 | Waxahachie, Texas | Waxahachie HS

Never allowed a sack in three years as a starter... had 118 pancake blocks his senior season ... team captain in both his junior and senior seasons ... named second-team all-state his senior year ... three-time all-district in Texas class 4A ... selected for Offense-Defense All-American Bowl in Florida ... earned first-team all-district honors as a sophomore and junior ... runs a 5.48 40-yard dash ... bench presses 345 and squats 515 pounds ... parents: Chuck and Debbie Hannan ... coached by David Ream ... born Feb. 8, 1989.



6 Keith Nichol

QB | 6-2 | 204 | Lowell, Mich. | Lowell Senior High School

Enrolled at OU in January ... threw for 2,225 yards for 31 touchdowns (118-185) and ran for 1,075 yards and 19 touchdowns as a senior ... had two interceptions from his cornerback position ... accounted for 9,650 yards and 134 touchdowns in three years as a starter ... passed for 6,550 yards and 76 touchdowns while rushing for 3,100 yards and 58 TD ... two-time Associated Press Class "A" Player of the Year... two-time first-team Associated Press All-State ... three-time all-state in Michigan's largest class ... three-time Grand Rapids Press all-area ... Michigan Gatorade Player of the Year as a senior ... Elite 11 selection ... named to the *Detroit News* "Dream Team" ... led team to a state title as a sophomore ... career record of 34-3 ... runs a 4.68 40-yard dash ... coached by Noel Dean ... born Dec. 24, 1988 ... parents: Gary and Patrice Nichol.

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92 Jordan Nix

DT | 6-3 | 260 | Lawton, Okla. | MacArthur High School

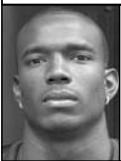
Three-year starter at the nose guard position ... all-district as a junior and senior and the district lineman of the year in his final campaign ... as a senior, he had 59 tackles, including 21 that were unassisted with one fumble recovery, six quarterback hurries and 5.5 sacks ... blocked three kicks during his career, including two as a senior ... coached by Ernie Manning ... born Oct. 17, 1988, in Junction City, Kan.



17 Jimmy Stevens

K | 5-6 | 170 | Oklahoma City, Okla. | Heritage Hall

His 50 career field goals (50-77) broke the national record total by a high school kicker... scored 18 total points in a single game as a junior ... connected on a string of 125 consecutive extra points ... career-long field goal of 52 yards as a senior ... went 10-25 as a senior, with most of his misses coming beyond 50 yards ... tied national single-season record with 22 field goals as a junior ... also punted for a 33-yard average ... named first-team all-state kicker by *Tulsa World*, and first-team punter by *The Oklahoman* ... *Parade* All-America first-team ... first-team All-USA by *USA Today* ... selected to inaugural East Meets West All-American football game ... all-state selection by Oklahoma Coaches Association ... runs a 40-yard dash in 4.6 sec ... coached by Andy Bogert ... parents: Jim and Colleen Stevens ... born June 16, 1989.



27 Sam Proctor

ATH | 6-0 | 202 | Pearland, Texas | Pearland High School

Ran 221 times for 1658 yards and 19 touchdowns as a senior ... also completed 42 of 82 passes for 456 yards and four TD ... played on defense twice, both times recording a tackle ... helped lead his high school to the state semi-final in Texas class 5A ... senior team captain ... named offensive MVP by his teammates ... selected to play in the All-Greater Houston football game ... runs a 4.6 40-yard dash ... coached by Tony Heath ... parent: Yolanda Proctor ... born Sept. 5, 1988.



82 Tyler Stradford

WR | 6-3 | 180 | New Orleans, La. | O. Perry Walker HS

Caught 27 catches for 483 yards and six TD as a senior ... also saw playing time at cornerback and safety where he recorded five interceptions ... named all-district and All-West Bank after senior season ... all-area selection in Louisiana as a junior ... saw time on the field as a kick returner, running back three kick-offs for TD and had a 41-yard return average ... also was team's punt returner ... runs a 4.41 40-yard dash ... coached by Skip Lamothe ... parent: Chalondra Stradford ... born May 5, 1988.



10 Mike Reed

LB | 6-1 | 250 | Vero Beach, Fla. | Yuba Community College

Enrolled at OU in January ... played two seasons at Yuba College in Marysville, Calif. ... his sophomore team that won the Bay Valley Conference and district titles ... the 49ers were 6-5 overall, 4-1 in league play and champions of the Holiday Bowl with a 29-8 win over Monterey Peninsula ... named Bay Valley Conference MVP ... J.C. Gridwire All-American ... a California All-State junior college team selection ... set a school record with 90 tackles on the season ... committed to OU before his sophomore season ... all-conference as a freshman when his team also won the league championship... coached by Ted Hoal ... attended Vero Beach High School in Vero Beach, Fla. ... four-year letterman ... all-state pick as a senior when he had 50 tackles and 23 touchdowns at middle linebacker and running back, respectively ... finished his career with 233 tackles ... coached by Billy Livings ... born August 20, 1984 ... parents: Eddie and Willimae Reed ... has seven brothers.



78 Alex Williams

OL | 6-5 | 300 | New Orleans, La. | O. Perry Walker HS

Recorded 16 pancake blocks his senior year ... gave up two sacks his freshman year, and has not allowed one since ... named all-district, All-West Bank team and all-metro his season year ... named honorable mention all-state after his senior season ... missed entire junior season because of Hurricane Katrina forcing him to move to a school without a football program ... all-state in basketball his junior year while not playing football ... bench presses 325 and squats 495 pounds ... runs a 5.1 40-yard dash ... coached by Skip Lamothe ... parent: Nicole Williams ... born March 10, 1988.



66 Donald Stephenson

OL | 6-6 | 275 | Blue Springs, Mo. | Blue Springs HS

Played in first three games but broken toe injury kept him from playing again until the playoffs ... transferred to Blue Springs from Central High School in Kansas City where he was named all-league as a junior ... bench presses 375 and squats 500 pounds ... runs a five-second 40-yard dash ... coached by Kelly Donohoe ... parents: Donald Ramey and Ethel Stephenson ... born Sept. 30, 1988.



12 Corey Wilson

WR | 6-0 | 185 | Carrollton, Texas | Creekview High School

Rushed 31 times for 234 yards and three TD as a senior ... caught 18 passes for 343 yards and four TD, averaging 20 yards per catch ... rushed 31 times for three TD as a running back ... also was the team's punt and kick-off returner ... awarded all-district honors at wide receiver after senior year ... named special teams player of the year in his district ... brother of former Sooner wide receiver Travis Wilson ... runs a 4.47 40-yard dash ... coached by Gary Childress ... parents: Charles and Wendy Wilson ... born Oct. 5, 1988.