

MEMPHIS GRIZZLIES GAME NOTES

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GRIZZLIES 2020-21 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Tip-Off/TV • Result
12/23	SAN ANTONIO	L 119-131
12/26	ATLANTA	L 112-122
12/28	@ Brooklyn	6:30pm FSSE
12/30	@ Boston	6:30pm FSSE
1/1	@ Charlotte	6pm FSSE
1/3	LA LAKERS	5pm FSSE
1/5	LA LAKERS	7pm FSSE
1/7	CLEVELAND	7pm FSSE
1/8	BROOKLYN	7pm FSSE
1/11	@ Cleveland	6pm FSSE
1/13	@ Minnesota	7pm FSSE
1/15	@ Minnesota	7pm FSSE
1/16	PHILADELPHIA	7pm FSSE
1/18	PHOENIX	4pm FSSE/TNT
1/20	@ Portland	9pm FSSE
1/22	@ Portland	9pm FSSE
1/24	SACRAMENTO	7pm FSSE
1/25	SACRAMENTO	7pm FSSE
1/27	CHICAGO	7pm FSSE
1/30	@ San Antonio	7:30pm FSSE
2/1	@ San Antonio	7:30pm FSSE
2/4	HOUSTON	7pm FSSE
2/6	@ New Orleans	6pm FSSE
2/8	TORONTO	7pm FSSE
2/10	CHARLOTTE	7pm FSSE
2/12	@ LA Lakers	9pm FSSE/ESPN
2/14	@ Sacramento	8pm FSSE
2/16	NEW ORLEANS	6:30pm TNT
2/19	DETROIT	7pm FSSE
2/20	PHOENIX	7pm FSSE
2/22	@ Dallas	7:30pm FSSE
2/25	LA CLIPPERS	7pm FSSE
2/26	LA CLIPPERS	7pm FSSE
2/28	@ Houston	6pm FSSE
3/2	@ Washington	6pm FSSE
3/4	MILWAUKEE	7pm FSSE



0-2 Overall
0-0 Road

MEMPHIS GRIZZLIES vs BROOKLYN NETS

Regular Season Game 3
Road Game 1
Monday, December 28, 2020
6:30 p.m. CT Tip-Off

Barclays Center
Brooklyn, NY
TV: FOX Sports Southeast
Radio: 92.9 FM ESPN



2-1 Overall
1-0 Home

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MEMPHIS GRIZZLIES PROJECTED STARTING LINEUP

2020-21 Regular Season Record When Using This Starting Lineup: 0-2

Position	Number	Height	Weight	Previous Game	PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO
SF	# 24	6-6 ½	220	DILLON BROOKS	19	2	2	0	0	30:36
Oregon / Canada 4 th Season				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selected 45th overall in the 2017 NBA Draft after leading the Oregon Ducks to the school's first NCAA Final Four since 1939 during his junior year. Recorded the second-highest scoring average (11.0 ppg) ever by a Canadian-born NBA rookie in 2017-18. The Grizzlies were 20-6 last season when Brooks scores 20+ points (4-16 when scoring under 10). 						
PF	# 1	6-8 ¾	230	KYLE ANDERSON	20	14	1	0	2	36:26
UCLA / USA 7 th Season				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selected 30th overall in the 2015 NBA Draft after two seasons at UCLA. Signed with Memphis as a restricted free agent in July 2018 after playing his first four NBA seasons with the San Antonio Spurs. 						
C	# 17	6-11 ¼	265	JONAS VALANČIŪNAS	13	12	4	1	1	28:56
Lietuvos Rytas / Lithuania 9 th Season				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selected fifth overall in the 2011 NBA Draft by the Toronto Raptors and selected to the 2012-13 NBA All-Rookie Team. Ranked sixth in the NBA in rebounding (second in the NBA since the 2020 All-Star Break, 13.2). Recorded first career triple-double with 26 points, 19 rebounds and a career-high 12 assists on Aug. 13 vs. Milwaukee. 						
SG	# 3	6-3 ¾	198	GRAYSON ALLEN	10	4	2	0	0	29:28
Duke / USA 3 rd Season				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Averaged 8.7 points and shot 40.4 percent from 3-point range last season, his first with the Grizzlies. Recorded 13.6 points (.507 FG/.480 3P/.900 FT) in eight seeding games during the 2019-20 NBA restart in Orlando. Scored a career-high 40 points on April 10, 2019 while with the Utah Jazz. 						
PG	# 12	6-2 ½	175	JA MORANT	28	3	7	0	1	33:31
Murray State / USA 2 nd Season				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2019-20 NBA Rookie of the Year and 2019-20 NBA All-Rookie First Team unanimous selection. Career-high 44 points (franchise-record tying 18 FGM) on Dec. 23 vs. San Antonio. Selected second overall in the 2019 NBA Draft after averaging 24.5 points, 5.7 rebounds and 10.0 assists as a sophomore at Murray State. 						



BEAR NECESSITIES

- The Grizzlies tip-off their 2020-21 road schedule seeking their first win of the season against the 2-1 Brooklyn Nets in what marks the first game of a three-game road trip.
- The Grizzlies feature one of the league's youngest teams to start the 2020-21 season (24.3 years per player on active roster)... Memphis has the second-youngest roster in the NBA, defined by the Elias Sports Bureau as average age per player on active rosters (including two-way players), behind only the Minnesota Timberwolves (23.9).
- Kyle Anderson scored a career-high tying 20 points and grabbed a career-best 14 rebounds Saturday against Atlanta... Anderson has recorded 10+ rebounds for just the second time in his NBA career (other: Nov. 10-12, 2018).
- Memphis swept the 2019-20 season series, 2-0, and has won its last two trips to the Barclays Center.

#GrizzliesOTD: THIS DATE IN GRIZZLIES HISTORY

As the Grizzlies enter their 20th Season in Memphis, #GrizzliesOTD provides a look at key moments in the team's history in Memphis.

Dec. 28, 2005: Damon Stoudamire made a pair of 3-pointers down the stretch in regulation, and the Grizzlies outscored the Los Angeles Lakers 10-2 in overtime to win, 100-99, at STAPLES Center. Stoudamire finished with 25 points and nine assists; Kobe Bryant led the Lakers with 45 points.

INJURY REPORT / ROSTER NOTES



Jaren Jackson Jr. (left knee meniscus surgery recovery), Jontay Porter (right knee soreness), Killian Tillie (right hamstring strain), Xavier Tillman Sr. (left patellar tendinitis) and Justise Winslow (left hip displacement) are out... De'Anthony Melton (health and safety protocols) is not with team.

PREVIOUS GAME INACTIVE LIST

Jaren Jackson Jr.
De'Anthony Melton
Jontay Porter
Killian Tillie
Justise Winslow

** All Times Central **

All Games Broadcast on 92.9 FM ESPN / 680 AM

MEMPHIS GRIZZLIES 2020-21 ROSTER AND STAFF

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht. (w/o shoes)	Wt.	Birthdate	Prior to NBA/Home Country	NBA Yrs
3	Grayson Allen	G	6-3 ¾	198	10/8/1995	Duke/USA	2
1	Kyle Anderson	F	6-8 ¾	230	9/20/1993	UCLA/USA	6
22	Desmond Bane	G/F	6-6	215	6/25/1998	TCU/USA	R
24	Dillon Brooks	G/F	6-6 ½	220	1/22/1996	Oregon/Canada	3
15	Brandon Clarke	F	6-7 ¾	210	9/19/1996	Gonzaga/Canada	1
14	Gorgui Dieng	C	6-10	252	1/18/1990	Louisville/Senegal	7
13	Jaren Jackson Jr.	F/C	6-11	242	9/15/1999	Michigan State/USA	2
21	Tyus Jones	G	6-0 ¾	196	5/10/1996	Duke/USA	5
46	John Konchar	G/F	6-4 ¾	210	3/22/1996	Fort Wayne/USA	1
30	Sean McDermott ^{2W}	G	6-6	195	11/3/1996	Butler/USA	R
0	De'Anthony Melton	G	6-2 ¾	200	5/28/1998	USC/USA	2
12	Ja Morant	G	6-2 ½	175	8/10/1999	Murray State/USA	1
4	Jontay Porter	F/C	6-10	236	11/15/1999	Missouri/USA	R
35	Killian Tillie ^{2W}	C	6-10	220	3/5/1998	Gonzaga/France	R
2	Xavier Tillman Sr.	F	6-8	245	1/12/1999	Michigan State/USA	R
17	Jonas Valančiūnas	C	6-11 ¾	265	5/6/1992	Lietuvos Rytas/Lithuania	8
7	Justise Winslow	F	6-6	225	3/26/1996	Duke/USA	5

* - 2W indicates a Two-Way Player who will be eligible to play for the Memphis Grizzlies and the NBA G League's Memphis Hustle.

COACHING AND MEDICAL STAFF

Head Coach.....	Taylor Jenkins (Pennsylvania)
Assistant Coach.....	Blake Ahearn (Missouri State)
Assistant Coach.....	Brad Jones (Lambuth)
Assistant Coach.....	Darko Rajaković (Serbia)
Assistant Coach.....	David McClure (Duke)
Assistant Coach.....	James "Scoonie" Penn (Ohio State)
Assistant Coach.....	Sonia Raman (MIT)
Assistant Coach.....	Vitaly Potapenko (Wright State)
Head of Sports Medicine.....	Eric Oetter (Georgia)

NUMERICAL ROSTER

0	De'Anthony Melton	15	Brandon Clarke
1	Kyle Anderson	17	Jonas Valančiūnas
2	Xavier Tillman Sr.	21	Tyus Jones
3	Grayson Allen	22	Desmond Bane
4	Jontay Porter	24	Dillon Brooks
7	Justise Winslow	30	Sean McDermott
12	Ja Morant	35	Killian Tillie
13	Jaren Jackson Jr.	46	John Konchar
14	Gorgui Dieng		

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Dillon Brooks (DILL-en)	Darko Rajaković (RYE-ahk-oe-vich)
Gorgui Dieng (GOR-ghee Jeng)	Vitaly Potapenko (po-TAH-pen-ko)
Jaren Jackson Jr. (JAIR-in)	Sonia Raman (SOHN-ya RAH-mun)
Ja Morant (Jah mo-RANT)	Eric Oetter (Otter)
Jontay Porter (JOHN-tay)	
Jonas Valančiūnas (YO-nahs vah-lahn-CHEW-nas)	

2020-21 TRANSACTIONS

11/18: Grizzlies selected Robert Woodard II with the 40th overall pick in the second round of the 2020 NBA Draft... **11/19:** The Grizzlies traded the draft rights to Robert Woodard II to the Sacramento Kings and a 2022 second round draft pick for the draft rights to Xavier Tillman Sr. (35th)... **11/20:** The Celtics traded the draft rights to Desmond Bane (30th in 2020) to the Grizzlies and traded Enes Kanter to the Trail Blazers; the Grizzlies traded two future second round picks to the Celtics and traded cash considerations to the Trail Blazers; the Trail Blazers traded Mario Hezonja to the Grizzlies... **11/22:** Re-signed John Konchar to a multi-year contract... **11/22:** Re-signed De'Anthony Melton to a multi-year contract... **11/22:** Re-signed Jontay Porter to a multi-year contract... **11/24:** Signed Killian Tillie and Sean McDermott to two-way contracts... **11/25:** Signed Desmond Bane to a multi-year contract... **11/28:** Signed Xavier Tillman Sr. to a multi-year contract... **11/28:** Signed Jahliil Tripp... **12/11:** Signed Ahmad Caver and waived Mario Hezonja... **12/15:** Signed Zhaire Smith and waived Jahliil Tripp... **12/15:** Signed Bennie Boatwright and waived Marko Guduric... **12/16:** Signed Christian Vital and waived Zhaire Smith... **12/16:** Signed Shaq Buchanan and waived Christian Vital... **12/19:** Waived Bennie Boatwright, Shaq Buchanan and Ahmad Caver.

TONIGHT'S OPPONENT: BROOKLYN NETS



Overall Series: 24-23
Current Streak: Won 2
 Last Win: 3/4/20
 Last Loss: 1/4/19

Home: 12-11
 Home Streak: Won 1
 Last Home Win: 10/27/19
 Last Home Loss: 1/4/19

Road: 12-12
 Road Streak: Won 2
 Last Road Win: 3/4/20
 Last Road Loss: 3/19/18

GRIZZLIES VS. NETS 2020-21 SEASON

December 28 at Brooklyn – 6:30pm
January 8 at Memphis – 7pm

All Times CT; All Games Broadcast on FSSE and 92.9 FM ESPN Radio

CONNECTIONS

Grizzlies forward **Justise Winslow**, guards **Tyus Jones** and **Grayson Allen**, assistant coach **David McClure** and Nets guard **Kyrie Irving** all played at Duke... Grizzlies head coach **Taylor Jenkins** coached Nets forward **Taurean Prince** as an assistant coach on the Atlanta Hawks during Prince's first two NBA seasons (2016-18)... Grizzlies forward **Kyle Anderson** is from New York City... Grizzlies TV analyst **Brevin Knight** hails from East Orange, N.J.

SERIES HIGHLIGHTS

Largest Margins of Victory

Largest Grizzlies Win: 47 points on 12/13/03 #
Largest Nets Win: 18 points on 1/2/02
 # - Franchise record

Statistical Highs

Grizzlies A. Peeler, 40 on 2/4/97
Nets S. Marbury, 42 on 1/27/00

Hi Points

Hi Rebound

O. Thorpe, 20 on 1/31/98
 S. Bradley, 16 on 2/4/97

Hi Assist

M. Bibby, 12 on 1/29/01
 J. Kidd, 18 on 3/22/03

The Nets are one of only two NBA franchises (Sacramento) where the Grizzlies' single-game records for points, rebounds and assists are all currently and exclusively held by players from the Vancouver era (1996-2001).

2019-20 GAME RECAPS (Grizzlies Swept Series 2-0)

GRIZZLIES 134, NETS 133 (OT) | OCTOBER 27, 2019 | FEDEXFORUM | MEMPHIS, TN

RECAP: Ja Morant went toe-to-toe with Kyrie Irving and Jae Crowder provided the walk-off winner in overtime as the Memphis Grizzlies won their first game of the season – and first game under head coach Taylor Jenkins – against the Brooklyn Nets... Memphis' final play began with 3.7 seconds left when the Grizzlies inbounded the ball, Morant dribbled behind his back as he crossed half court and found a trailing Crowder at the top of the key... Morant finished with 30 points (13-22 FG), including 21 after halftime, and nine assists... He became the third player in NBA history to record at least 30 points and nine assists in a game in one of his first three career games, joining Isiah Thomas (1981) and Trae Young... Crowder registered his first career buzzer-beating game-winner and just the second buzzer-beating three-point game-winner for the Grizzlies since the team moved to Memphis (Rudy Gay, 88-85 on Dec. 19, 2007 vs. San Antonio)... The game-winner was Crowder's second basket of the game – his first was a three-pointer to give Memphis its first lead in overtime, 131-128 with 1:09 left... Morant scored 17 points in the fourth quarter alone, scoring eight of the Grizzlies' final 10 points and tying the game with a layup with 7.0 seconds remaining... He then blocked Irving's fadeaway jump shot as time expired in regulation... Dillon Brooks scored 21 points, and Jonas Valanciunas had his second straight double-double with 16 points and 11 rebounds... Jaren Jackson Jr. scored 12 points, Solomon Hill had 13 points (5-5 FG) in his first action of the season... Caris LeVert had 27 points for the Nets while Spencer Dinwiddie had 16 points and eight assists and Jarrett Allen had 14 points and 13 rebounds off the bench.

OCT 27, 2019	POINTS	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	ORB	DRB	TRB	HI SCORER	HI REBOUND	HI ASSIST
GRIZZLIES	134	50	103	.485	14	33	.424	8	41	49	Morant 30	Valanciunas 11	Morant 9
vs NETS	133	44	101	.436	15	45	.333	11	42	53	Irving 37	Allen 13	Dinwiddie 8

GRIZZLIES 118, NETS 79 | MARCH 4, 2020 | BARCLAYS CENTER | BROOKLYN, NY

RECAP: For the second time in as many games, the Memphis Grizzlies ran away from their opponent in the second half and recorded the largest margin of victory in a road win in franchise history... Memphis blew out the Brooklyn Nets by 39 points one game after routing Atlanta by the same margin... Josh Jackson led all scorers with 19 points, Tyus Jones had 18 points (6-13 FG, 5-6 3P) and a set a career high for threes made, and Gorgui Dieng had 14 rebounds to help the Grizzlies' bench outscore the Nets' reserves 61-27... Jones also had six assists to zero turnovers... Ja Morant had 15 points, seven rebounds and five assists without a turnover to help Memphis run its winning streak to three games to move back to .500 (31-31)... Jonas Valanciunas collected 16 rebounds... Eleven of the 13 Grizzlies recorded double-digit plus-minus ratings, including all five starters, as Memphis recovered from a 2-of-13 shooting start to eventually take a 52-45 lead... Memphis led by 17 entering the fourth quarter and outscored the Nets 36-14 in the final frame, taking a 41-point lead with 1:00 remaining in the game... The 39-point win tied the second-largest margin of victory in franchise history behind only a 47-point win over the New Jersey Nets on Dec. 13, 2003 at The Pyramid... Memphis made a season-high tying 20 threes (on 44 attempts) while Brooklyn hit only 7-of-42 from long distance (.167)... Taurean Prince led Brooklyn with 15 points while Caris LeVert and Chris Chiozza added 14 apiece... Memphis swept the season series, 2-0... The Grizzlies became the first team in NBA history to win consecutive games, both on the road, by at least 39 points and did so without rotation players Jaren Jackson Jr., Brandon Clarke, Justise Winslow and Grayson Allen... Memphis also became the first team to hold three straight teams under 90 points since the Utah Jazz in March 2018.

MAR 4, 2020	POINTS	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	ORB	DRB	TRB	HI SCORER	HI REBOUND	HI ASSIST
GRIZZLIES	118	43	100	.430	20	44	.455	18	41	59	Jackson 19	Valanciunas 16	Jones 6
at NETS	79	30	90	.333	7	42	.167	13	29	42	Prince 15	Allen 9	LeVert 6

NEXT OPPONENT: BOSTON CELTICS



Overall Series: 18-30
Current Streak: Lost 9
 Last Win: 1/10/16
 Last Loss: 8/11/20

Home: 9-15
 Home Streak: Lost 4
 Last Home Win: 1/10/16
 Last Home Loss: 8/11/20

Road: 9-15
 Road Streak: Lost 6
 Last Road Win: 11/27/13
 Last Road Loss: 1/22/20

GRIZZLIES VS. CELTICS 2020-21 SEASON

January 22 at Boston – L 95-119
March 25 at Memphis (WWOS) – 4pm

All Times CT; All Games Broadcast on FSSE and 92.9 FM ESPN Radio

CONNECTIONS

Grizzlies guards **Tyus Jones** and **Grayson Allen**, forward **Justise Winslow**, assistant coach **David McClure** and Celtics forwards **Jayson Tatum** and **Semi Ojeleye** all played at Duke... Grizzlies assistant coach **Vitaly Potapenko** appeared in 273 games (120 starts) over parts of four seasons (1998-2002) with the Celtics and averaged 7.5 points and 5.8 rebounds in 21.9 minutes... Grizzlies Vice President of Basketball Affairs **Tayshaun Prince** appeared in nine games as a reserve for Boston during the 2014-15 season and averaged 8.4 points, 3.3 rebounds and 2.0 assists in 22.0 minutes.

SERIES HIGHLIGHTS

Largest Margins of Victory

Largest Grizzlies Win: 20 points on 3/10/10
Largest Celtics Win: 33 points on 1/31/96

Statistical Highs

Grizzlies
 Celtics

Hi Points

B. Reeves, 41 on 1/15/98
 I. Thomas, 44 on 12/20/16

Hi Rebound

S. Abdur-Rahim, 21 on 11/26/00
 D. Radja, 17 on 12/30/95

Hi Assist

2x, M. Miller, 14 on 1/5/07 *
 R. Rondo, 17 on 11/13/10

* - Most recent

2019-20 GAME RECAPS (Celtics Swept Series 2-0)

CELTICS 119, GRIZZLIES 95 | JANUARY 22, 2020 | TD GARDEN | BOSTON, MA

RECAP: Despite being one of the NBA's hottest teams in the month of January, the Grizzlies' struggles in Boston continued as Memphis suffered an eighth straight loss in the overall series with the Celtics... **Jayson Tatum** scored 16 of his game-high 23 points in the second quarter before leaving in the third period with a groin injury... **Daniel Theis** scored 14 points, making all three of his three-point attempts, and **Enes Kanter** had 13 points and eight rebounds off the bench to help the Celtics earn their sixth straight home win in the series with the Grizzlies... **Jonas Valanciunas** posted 16 points and 13 rebounds while **Jaren Jackson Jr.** and **Solomon Hill** had 13 points apiece for the Grizzlies, who lost consecutive games for the first time since Dec. 18-20... **Ja Morant** scored a career-low two points... Memphis led 27-25 after the first quarter, but Boston would outscore the Grizzlies 74-36 over the next two quarters to build an insurmountable 38-point lead (103-65) early in the fourth quarter... The Celtics scored 23 unanswered in the second quarter and went on a 22-3 run to start the third quarter... Boston shot 50.6 percent from the field and 43.8 percent from three-point range while becoming the first team to hold the Grizzlies under 100 points since Chicago on Dec. 4... Memphis ended a franchise-record 14-game streak of scoring at least 110 points, which was the NBA's longest active streak.

JAN 22, 2020	POINTS	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	ORB	DRB	TRB	HI SCORER	HI REBOUND	HI ASSIST
GRIZZLIES	95	36	85	.424	11	32	.344	5	35	40	Valanciunas 16	Valanciunas 13	Morant 5
at CELTICS	119	45	89	.506	14	32	.438	9	35	44	Tatum 23	Kanter 8	Smart 6

CELTICS 122, GRIZZLIES 107 | AUGUST 11, 2020 | HP FIELD HOUSE (WWOS) | ORLANDO, FL

RECAP: **Ja Morant** had 26 points and 13 assists, but the Memphis Grizzlies could not overcome the hot-shooting Boston Celtics and fell to 1-6 at Walt Disney World... **Jason Tatum** finished with 29 points (10-13 FG, 4-5 3P, 5-5 FT) to lead six Celtics in double figures... **Gordon Hayward** and **Kemba Walker** both scored 19 points for Boston, which shot 51.2 percent from the field and 43.2 percent from three-point range (16-37 3P)... **Brandon Clarke** scored 15 points off the bench, and **Jonas Valanciunas** posted his 38th double-double of the season with 14 points and 10 rebounds for the Grizzlies, who shot 39.3 percent overall and missed 22 of their 29 three-point attempts (.241)... Boston, which used a 33-11 run to go up by 22 points in the second quarter, thwarted any chances of Memphis comeback by scoring 39 points in the final period, hitting 8-of-10 from long range and assisting on 11 of its 15 baskets... Boston won its ninth straight game in the overall series swept the 2019-20 set, 2-0.

AUG 11, 2020	POINTS	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	ORB	DRB	TRB	HI SCORER	HI REBOUND	HI ASSIST
GRIZZLIES	107	35	89	.393	7	29	.241	14	30	44	Morant 26	Valanciunas 10	Morant 13
vs CELTICS	122	44	86	.512	16	37	.432	10	36	46	Tatum 29	Kanter 8	Smart 9

2020-21 REGULAR SEASON BREAKDOWN	SPLITS		OVERALL		HOME		ROAD		OVERTIME	
	OVERALL	W-L	Win %	W-L	Win %	W-L	Win %	W-L	Win %	
	EASTERN CONFERENCE	0-2	.000	0-1	.000					
	WESTERN CONFERENCE	0-1	.000	0-1	.000					
ACTIVE STREAKS	LOST 2		LOST 2							

2020-21 FIRST HALF SCHEDULE MATRIX (HOME AND ROAD)

	A	B	B	C	C	C	D	D	D	G	H	I	L	L	M	M	M	N	N	O	O	P	P	P	S	S	T	U	W	
	T	O	K	H	H	L	A	E	E	S	O	N	A	A	I	I	I	O	Y	K	C	R	H	H	O	A	A	O	T	A
	L	S	N	A	I	E	L	N	T	W	U	D	C	L	A	L	N	P	K	C	L	I	O	R	C	S	S	R	A	S
H	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	2	-	2	1	1	-	-	
R	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	-	1	

2020-21 FIRST HALF W-L BREAKDOWN

	A	B	B	C	C	C	D	D	D	G	H	I	L	L	M	M	M	N	N	O	O	P	P	P	S	S	T	U	W	
	T	O	K	H	H	L	A	E	E	S	O	N	A	A	I	I	I	O	Y	K	C	R	H	H	O	A	A	O	T	A
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MOST RECENT GAMES

HAWKS 122, GRIZZLIES 112 | DECEMBER 26, 2020 | FEDEXFORUM | MEMPHIS, TN

RECAP: Trae Young scored 36 points to lead the Atlanta Hawks over the Memphis Grizzlies in the second game of the season... Kevin Huerter scored 21 for Atlanta to help Atlanta improve to 2-0 and drop Memphis to 0-2... De'Andre Hunter had 15 points and 11 rebounds to go with a pair of 3-pointers and a pair of blocks... Ja Morant posted 28 points and seven assists for the Grizzlies while Kyle Anderson had 20 points and a career-high 14 rebounds... Dillon Brooks scored 19... Jonas Valanciunas recorded his second double-double with 13 points and 12 rebounds... Young scored 10 points in the final minutes, including eight straight, to hold off a late Memphis rally... Young shot 15-of-17 from the free throw line, helping Atlanta go 33-of-38 from the charity stripe... Atlanta also tied Memphis in points in the paint, 44-44... The Hawks outscored the Grizzlies in the fourth quarter, 35-24.

DEC 26, 2020	POINTS	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	ORB	DRB	TRB	HI SCORER	HI REBOUND	HI ASSIST
GRIZZLIES	112	37	93	.398	13	43	.302	9	37	46	Morant 28	Anderson 14	Morant 7
vs HAWKS	122	38	89	.427	13	36	.361	13	41	54	Young 36	Hunter 11	Young 9

SPURS 131, GRIZZLIES 119 | DECEMBER 23, 2020 | FEDEXFORUM | MEMPHIS, TN

RECAP: Reigning NBA Rookie of the Year Ja Morant scored a career-high 44 points to tip-off his second NBA season, but the San Antonio Spurs defeated the Memphis Grizzlies in each team's regular season opener... Morant, who had nine assists to just one turnover, shot 18-for-27 from the field to tie Bryant Reeves' single-game franchise record for field goals made... He also became the youngest player (21 years, 135 days) in NBA history to score at least 40 points in a season opener and posted the second-highest score ever by a player in the first game of his second season (Elgin Baylor, 52 points in 1959)... Morant scored 34 points after halftime to tie Jaren Jackson Jr.'s franchise record for points in a single half (Dec. 13, 2019)... Memphis led 33-30 after the first quarter before San Antonio took advantage with a 36-20 second period... The Spurs scored at least 30 points in all four quarters and held off several Grizzlies rallies in the second half... Dillon Brooks scored 16 points, while Jonas Valanciunas posted his first double-double of the season with 15 points and 13 rebounds... Desmond Bane scored six points in 11 minutes in his NBA debut... DeMar DeRozan totaled 28 points (14-15 FT), nine rebounds and nine assists to lead San Antonio, which outscored the Grizzlies 25-11 from the free throw line... Memphis fell to 5-21 all-time in regular season openers.

DEC 23, 2020	POINTS	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	ORB	DRB	TRB	HI SCORER	HI REBOUND	HI ASSIST
GRIZZLIES	119	49	95	.516	10	27	.370	5	37	42	Morant 44	Valanciunas 13	Morant 9
vs SPURS	131	48	95	.505	10	25	.400	8	40	48	DeRozan 28	DeRozan 9	DeRozan/Murray 9

GRIZZLIES 2020-21 QUICK FACTS

2020-21 TEAM QUICK FACTS

- The Grizzlies were dominant inside in 2019-20, leading the league in points in the paint per game (55.9), the third-highest total by any team since the start of the 1996-97 season... Memphis had similar success inside in the Dec. 23 regular season opener against the San Antonio Spurs, scoring 66 points in the paint.
- Memphis entered the 2020-21 season as the second-youngest team in the NBA (24.3) behind only the Minnesota Timberwolves, defined as the average age per player on active rosters (including two-way players). -- Elias

JA MORANT QUICK FACTS

- Ja Morant scored a career-high 44 points (18-27 FG), including 34 after halftime, in the regular season opener against the San Antonio Spurs... Here are some notes about Morant's performance:
 - Morant finished one point shy of tying Mike Miller's single-game franchise record for points in a game (45 PTS on Feb. 21, 2007 at Golden State).
 - Morant tied Bryant Reeves' single-game franchise record for field goals made (18 FGM on April 19, 1997 at Phoenix).
 - Morant tied Jaren Jackson Jr.'s franchise record for points in a single half (34 PTS on Dec. 13, 2019 vs. Milwaukee).
 - Morant (21 years, 135 days) is the youngest player in NBA history to score 40+ points in a regular season opener.
 - Morant's 44 points are the second-most in NBA history by a player in the first game of his second NBA season (Elgin Baylor, 52 points in 1959).
 - Only five other players have scored 40+ points in the first game of their second NBA seasons: Rick Barry, Walt Bellamy, Elgin Baylor, Wilt Chamberlain and Shaquille O'Neal.
- Ja Morant had 15 games with 10+ points and 10+ assists during his 2019-20 rookie campaign... That is more than all other rookies in franchise history combined (STATS INC).
- Ja Morant led all qualifying NBA rookies in scoring average (17.8 points), assists average (7.3), double-doubles (15) and triple-doubles (2)... Morant is the first player since the 2013-14 season to lead all rookies in scoring and assists per game.

PLAYER QUICK FACTS

- Kyle Anderson grabbed double-digit rebounds in each of his first two games this season, including a career-best 14 rebounds on Dec. 26 vs. Atlanta... This marks just the second time in Anderson's career that he has snagged 10+ rebounds in consecutive games (other: Nov. 10-12, 2018).

THIS DATE IN GRIZZLIES HISTORY...

Dec. 28, 2005: **Damon Stoudamire** made a pair of 3-pointers down the stretch in regulation, and the Grizzlies outscored the Los Angeles Lakers 10-2 in overtime to win, 100-99, at STAPLES Center. Stoudamire finished with 25 points and nine assists; Kobe Bryant led the Lakers with 45 points.

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#GRZNXTGEN: The Grizzlies feature one of the league's youngest teams to start the 2020-21 season... Memphis has the second-youngest roster in the NBA, defined by the Elias Sports Bureau as average age per player on active rosters (including two-way players).

OPENING ACT: **Ja Morant** scored 44 points (18-27 FG) in Memphis' regular season opener on Dec. 23 vs. San Antonio, finishing one point shy of **Mike Miller's** franchise record for points in a game (45 on Feb. 21, 2007 at Golden State)... Morant also tied **Bryant Reeves'** single-game franchise record for field goals made (18 on April 19, 1997), and his 34 points in the second half tied **Jaren Jackson Jr.'s** club record for points in any half (34 on Dec. 13, 2019).

Perhaps most impressive, Morant (21 years, 135 days) became the youngest player in NBA history to score 40 points in a team's regular season opener (see table)... His 44 points are the second-most in NBA history by a player in the first game of his second season (**Elgin Baylor**, 52 on Oct. 18, 1959).

POINTS IN THE PAINT: The Grizzlies dominated inside last season, averaging 55.9 points per game in 2019-20... Memphis is averaging 55.0 points in the paint through the first two games of the 2020-21 season.

MORANT DURING PRESEASON: 2019-20 Kia NBA Rookie of the Year impressed during Memphis' 3-1 preseason.

JA RULES: **Ja Morant** was named the 2019-20 Kia NBA Rookie of the Year last season after averaging 17.8 points and 7.3 assists while leading the Grizzlies to the play-in game for the final spot in the 2020 Western Conference First Round.

Morant became just the seventh rookie in NBA history to averages 17+ points and 7+ assists per game, joining **Oscar Robertson** (1960-61), **Magic Johnson** (1979-80), **Isiah Thomas** (1981-82), **Damon Stoudamire** (1995-96), **Allen Iverson** (1997-98) and **Trae Young** (2018-19).

YOUNGEST TEAMS IN 2020-21 (ELIAS SPORTS BUREAU)

Team	Average Age Per Player
23.9	Minnesota
24.3	Memphis
24.4	Charlotte
24.4	New York
25.1	New Orleans

YOUNGEST NBA PLAYERS TO SCORE 40+ POINTS, REGULAR SEASON OPENER

Player	Age (Yrs-Days)	Date	Points
Ja Morant	21-135	12/23/20	44
Shaquille O'Neal *	21-244	11/5/93	42
Rick Barry *	22-201	10/15/66	41
Wilt Chamberlain *	23-064	10/24/59	43
Walt Bellamy *	23-084	10/16/62	43
Anthony Davis	23-229	10/26/16	50
Michael Jordan *	23-257	11/1/86	50

* - Hall of Fame

MOST POINTS IN THE PAINT PER GAME, SINGLE-SEASON, SINCE 1996-97

Team	Season	PTS IN PAINT / G
New Orleans	2018-19	58.2
Denver	2012-13	58.0
Memphis	2019-20	55.9
LA Lakers	2018-19	55.6
LA Lakers	1997-98	54.0

MORANT DURING PRESEASON

Category	2020 Preseason	2019-20 Season
PTS/G	17.5	17.8
REB/G	4.8	3.9
AST/G	9.8	7.3
MIN/G	25.8	31.0
FG%	.556	.477
USG%	23.8	25.6

ROOKIES TO AVERAGE 17+ PTS/G AND 7+ AST/G, NBA HISTORY

Rookie	Season	Team
Oscar Robertson	1960-61	Cincinnati
Magic Johnson	1979-80	LA Lakers
Isiah Thomas	1981-82	Detroit
Damon Stoudamire	1995-96	Toronto
Allen Iverson	1996-97	Philadelphia
Trae Young	2018-19	Atlanta
Ja Morant	2019-20	Memphis



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James "Scoonie" Penn
Sonia Raman
Vitaly Potapenko

CAREER COACHING RECORD		Regular Season			Playoffs		
Year	Team	W	L	%	W	L	%
2019-20	Memphis	34	39	.466	-	-	-
2020-21	Memphis	0	2	.000	-	-	-
TOTALS (75 games)		34	41	.453	-	-	-



#3 GRAYSON ALLEN



HEIGHT: 6-3 1/2 | WEIGHT: 198
AGE: 25
PRIOR TO NBA: DUKE

YEARS PRO: 3rd NBA Season (2nd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 21st overall in 2018 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: In a trade with Utah on 7/6/19

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	27	2	7	0.286	2	6	0.333	0	0	0.000	0	2	2	5	1	0	0	1	-3	6
12/26 vs ATL	29	2	6	0.333	1	5	0.200	5	5	1.000	3	1	4	2	0	0	0	0	-7	10

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	2/2	PPG	8.0	RPG	3.0	APG	3.5	FG%	.308	3P%	.273	MIN	28.2
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2020-21 SEASON: Scored in double figures **once**... Totaled six points and a career-high five assists in 27 minutes in his first start with the Grizzlies on Dec. 23 vs. San Antonio.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	10 12/26 vs ATL	40 4/10/19 @ LAC
FG	2 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	11 4/10/19 @ LAC
3P	2 12/23 vs SAS	6 8/5/20 @ UTA
FT	5 12/26 vs ATL	13 4/10/19 @ LAC
REB	4 12/26 vs ATL	7 12/4/19 @ CHI (2x)
AST	5 12/23 vs SAS	5 12/23/20 vs SAS
STL	2 7/31/20 @ POR (3x)	2 7/31/20 @ POR (3x)
BLK	1 12/23 vs SAS	1 8/7/20 vs OKC (3x)
+/-	-3 12/23 vs SAS	+18 12/1/19 @ MIN
MIN	29 12/26 vs ATL	41 4/10/19 @ LAC



#1 KYLE ANDERSON



HEIGHT: 6-8 1/2 | WEIGHT: 230
AGE: 27
PRIOR TO NBA: UCLA

YEARS PRO: 7th NBA Season (3rd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 30th overall in 2014 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: Signed multi-year contract on 7/8/18

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	29	3	8	0.375	1	3	0.333	0	0	0.000	0	10	10	2	3	0	2	0	-6	7
12/26 vs ATL	36	8	15	0.533	2	6	0.333	2	2	1.000	1	13	14	1	2	0	0	2	1	20

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	2/2	PPG	13.5	RPG	12.0	APG	1.5	FG%	.478	BLK	1.00	MIN	32.6
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2020-21 SEASON: Scored in double figures **once**, including **one** game with at least 20 points... Grabbed double-digit rebounds **twice**... Posted **one** double-double... Tied a career high with 20 points and hauled in a career-best 14 rebounds on Dec. 26 vs. Atlanta.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	20 12/26 vs ATL	20 12/26/20 vs ATL (3x)
FG	8 12/26 vs ATL	9 12/31/18 @ HOU (3x)
3P	2 12/26 vs ATL	2 12/26 vs ATL (5x)
FT	2 12/26 vs ATL	8 12/28/17 vs NYK
REB	14 12/26 vs ATL	14 12/26/20 vs ATL
AST	2 12/23 vs SAS	10 1/4/19 vs BRK (2x)
STL	5 3/8/18 @ GSW (6x)	5 3/8/18 @ GSW (6x)
BLK	2 12/26 vs ATL	4 4/3/18 @ LAC
+/-	+1 12/26 vs ATL	+30 3/19/18 vs GSW
MIN	36 12/26 vs ATL	39 12/31/18 @ HOU (3x)

TRENDS: Has recorded 10+ rebounds in consecutive games for the second time in his career (other: Nov. 10-12, 2018).



#22 DESMOND BANE



HEIGHT: 6-6 | WEIGHT: 215
AGE: 22
PRIOR TO NBA: TCU

YEARS PRO: 1st NBA Season (1st with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 30th overall in 2020 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: In a trade with Boston and Portland on 11/20/20

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	11	2	5	0.400	2	4	0.500	0	0	0.000	1	3	4	0	1	0	1	0	-6	6
12/26 vs ATL	22	2	2	1.000	2	2	1.000	0	0	0.000	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	2	6

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	2/0	PPG	6.0	RPG	2.5	APG	0.0	FG%	.571	3P%	.667	MIN	16.5
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2020 SEASON: Registered six points and four rebounds in 11 minutes in his NBA debut on Dec. 23 vs. San Antonio.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	6 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	6 12/26/20 vs ATL (2x)
FG	2 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	2 12/26/20 vs ATL (2x)
3P	2 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	2 12/26/20 vs ATL (2x)
FT		
REB	4 12/23 vs SAS	4 12/23/20 vs SAS
AST		
STL		
BLK		
+/-	+2 12/26 vs ATL	+2 12/26/20 vs ATL
MIN	22 12/26 vs ATL	22 12/26/20 vs ATL



#24 DILLON BROOKS



HEIGHT: 6-6 1/2 | WEIGHT: 220
AGE: 24
PRIOR TO NBA: OREGON

YEARS PRO: 4th NBA Season (4th with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 45th overall in 2017 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: In a trade with Houston on 6/22/17

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	33	7	14	0.500	1	3	0.333	1	1	1.000	1	3	4	6	6	2	2	0	-10	16
12/26 vs ATL	31	8	23	0.348	3	11	0.273	0	0	0.000	0	2	2	2	6	2	2	0	7	19

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	2/2	PPG	17.5	RPG	3.0	APG	4.0	FG%	.406	3P%	.286	MIN	31.9
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2020-21 SEASON: Scored in double figures twice.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	19 12/26 vs ATL	36 4/11/18 @ OKC
FG	8 12/26 vs ATL	14 4/11/18 @ OKC
3P	3 12/26 vs ATL	6 1/14/20 vs HOU (2x)
FT	1 12/23 vs SAS	11 4/8/18 vs DET
REB	4 12/23 vs SAS	9 1/20/20 vs NOP (2x)
AST	6 12/23 vs SAS	8 4/8/18 vs DET
STL	2 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	4 1/31/18 @ IND (2x)
BLK		2 1/31/20 @ NOP (7x)
+/-	+7 12/26 vs ATL	+27 8/13/20 vs MIL
MIN	33 12/23 vs SAS	40 2/28/20 vs SAC (2x)



#15 BRANDON CLARKE



HEIGHT: 6-7 1/2 | WEIGHT: 210
AGE: 24
PRIOR TO NBA: GONZAGA

YEARS PRO: 2nd NBA Season (2nd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 21st overall in 2019 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: In a trade with Oklahoma City on 7/6/19

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	26	5	9	0.556	0	2	0.000	0	1	0.000	0	3	3	0	1	0	1	1	-8	10
12/26 vs ATL	20	2	8	0.250	0	1	0.000	0	0	0.000	1	2	3	1	4	0	0	0	-15	4

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	2/0	PPG	7.0	RPG	3.0	APG	0.5	FG%	.412	3P%	.000	MIN	23.0
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2020-21 SEASON: Scored in double figures once.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	10 12/23 vs SAS	27 12/18/19 @ OKC
FG	5 12/23 vs SAS	13 12/18/19 @ OKC
3P		2 12/26/19 @ OKC (3x)
FT		7 7/31/20 @ POR
REB	3 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	11 2/20/20 @ SAC (5x)
AST	1 12/26 vs ATL	5 12/28/19 @ DEN
STL		3 1/29/20 @ NYK (2x)
BLK	1 12/23 vs SAS	4 11/4/19 vs HOU
+/-	-8 12/23 vs SAS	+30 11/6/19 vs MIN
MIN	26 12/23 vs SAS	34 7/31/20 @ POR

NOTE: Set a new NBA rookie record for field goal percentage (.618) for those qualified for the field goal percentage leaderboard last season.



#14 GORGUI DIENG



HEIGHT: 6-11 | WEIGHT: 252
AGE: 30
PRIOR TO NBA: LOUISVILLE

YEARS PRO: 8th NBA Season (2nd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 21st overall in 2013 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: In a trade with Miami and Minnesota on 2/6/20

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	12	2	3	0.667	1	2	0.500	0	0	0.000	0	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	-6	5
12/26 vs ATL	7	2	5	0.400	1	3	0.333	0	0	0.000	0	2	2	0	1	0	1	0	-14	5

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	2/0	PPG	5.0	RPG	1.5	APG	0.5	FG%	.500	3P%	.400	MIN	9.4
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2020-21 SEASON:

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	5 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	25 3/11/16 @ OKC
FG	2 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	10 1/15/17 @ DAL (4x)
3P	1 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	4 1/11/20 @ HOU (3x)
FT		11 3/11/16 @ OKC
REB	2 12/26 vs ATL	21 3/20/14 @ HOU
AST	1 12/23 vs SAS	8 11/28/14 @ LAL
STL	1 12/23 vs SAS	5 11/19/14 vs NYK
BLK	2 12/23 vs SAS	6 1/12/16 vs OKC (2x)
+/-	-6 12/23 vs SAS	+38 4/13/16 vs NOP
MIN	12 12/23 vs SAS	48 3/19/15 @ NYK



#13 JAREN JACKSON JR.



HEIGHT: 6-11 | WEIGHT: 242
AGE: 21
PRIOR TO NBA: MICHIGAN STATE

YEARS PRO: 3rd NBA Season (3rd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 4th overall in 2018 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: With the 4th overall pick in the 2018 NBA Draft

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	<i>Inactive (Left knee meniscus surgery recovery)</i>																			
12/26 vs ATL	<i>Inactive (Left knee meniscus surgery recovery)</i>																			

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	-	PPG	-	RPG	-	APG	-	FG%	-	3P%	-	MIN	-
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2020-21 SEASON: Missed **two** games (Dec. 23-26) due to left knee meniscus surgery recovery.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS		43 12/13/19 vs MIL
FG		14 12/13/19 vs MIL
3P		9 12/13/19 vs MIL
FT		9 12/2/19 vs IND
REB		12 12/29 vs CHA
AST		5 11/11/19 @ SAS
STL		4 1/5/19 @ SAS (2x)
BLK		7 1/28/20 vs DEN (2x)
+/-		+23 1/24/20 @ DET
MIN		43 7/31/20 @ POR (2x)



#21 TYUS JONES



HEIGHT: 6-0 | WEIGHT: 196
AGE: 24
PRIOR TO NBA: DUKE

YEARS PRO: 6th NBA Season (2nd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 24th overall in 2015 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: Signed multi-year contract on 7/11/19

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	14	3	5	0.600	0	1	0.000	1	2	0.500	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	-20	7
12/26 vs ATL	16	0	4	0.000	0	2	0.000	0	0	0.000	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	-8	0

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	2/0	PPG	3.5	RPG	1.0	APG	2.0	FG%	.333	3P%	.000	MIN	14.8
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2020-21 SEASON:

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	7 12/23 vs SAS	19 2/5/20 @ DAL
FG	3 12/23 vs SAS	8 2/5/20 @ DAL
3P		5 3/4/20 @ BKN
FT	1 12/23 vs SAS	6 11/5/16 @ OKC
REB	1 12/23 vs SAS	6 4/5/19 vs MIA (2x)
AST	3 12/26 vs ATL	13 4/7/19 vs OKC (2x)
STL		7 11/26/17 vs PHO
BLK	1 12/26 vs ATL	2 11/26/17 vs PHO (2x)
+/-	-8 12/26 vs ATL	+36 3/2/20 @ ATL (2x)
MIN	16 12/26 vs ATL	42 11/29/17 @ NOP



#46 JOHN KONCHAR



HEIGHT: 6-4 | WEIGHT: 210
AGE: 24
PRIOR TO NBA: FORT WAYNE

YEARS PRO: 2nd NBA Season (2nd with Grizzlies)
UNDRAFTED in 2019 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: Signed Two-Way Contract on 7/7/19; Signed multi-year contract on 11/20/20

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	DNP (Coach's Decision)																			
12/26 vs ATL	16	1	3	0.333	1	3	0.333	4	4	1.000	1	3	4	0	1	2	1	1	-16	7

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	1/0	PPG	7.0	RPG	4.0	APG	0.0	FG%	.333	STL	2.00	MIN	16.0
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2020-21 SEASON: DNP (Coach's Decision) once.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	NBA CAREER
PTS	7 12/26 vs ATL	10 3/2/20 @ ATL
FG	1 12/26 vs ATL	4 3/2/20 @ ATL (2x)
3P	1 12/26 vs ATL	2 3/2/20 @ ATL
FT	4 12/26 vs ATL	4 12/26/20 vs ATL
REB	4 12/26 vs ATL	10 3/7/20 vs ATL
AST		4 2/24/20 @ LAC
STL	2 12/26 vs ATL	3 2/26/20 @ HOU
BLK	1 12/26 vs ATL	1 12/26/20 vs ATL (4x)
+/-	-16 12/26 vs ATL	+28 3/2/20 @ ATL
MIN	16 12/26 vs ATL	22 3/4/20 @ BKN



#30 SEAN McDERMOTT (2W)



HEIGHT: 6-6 | WEIGHT: 195
AGE: 24
PRIOR TO NBA: BUTLER

YEARS PRO: 1st NBA Season (1st with Grizzlies)
UNDRAFTED in 2020 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: Signed Two-Way contract on 11/24/20

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	DNP (Coach's Decision)																			
12/26 vs ATL	DNP (Coach's Decision)																			

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	-	PPG	-	RPG	-	APG	-	FG%	-	BLK	-	MIN	-
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2020-21 SEASON: DNP (Coach's Decision) twice.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	NBA CAREER
PTS		
FG		
3P		
FT		
REB		
AST		
STL		
BLK		
+/-		
MIN		



#0 DE'ANTHONY MELTON



HEIGHT: 6-2 1/2 | WEIGHT: 200
AGE: 22
PRIOR TO NBA: USC

YEARS PRO: 3rd NBA Season (2nd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 46th overall in 2018 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: In a trade with Phoenix on 7/6/19

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	25	1	6	0.167	1	3	0.333	0	0	0.000	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	2	-7	3
12/26 vs ATL	<i>Inactive (Health and Safety Protocols)</i>																			

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	1/0	PPG	3.0	RPG	2.0	APG	1.0	FG%	.167	STL	0.00	MIN	25.0
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2020-21 SEASON: Inactive **once** (Dec. 26) due to health and safety protocols.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	3 12/23 vs SAS	24 2/20/20 @ SAC
FG	1 12/23 vs SAS	9 12/4/18 vs SAC
3P	1 12/23 vs SAS	4 2/20/20 @ SAC
FT		10 2/20/20 @ SAC
REB	2 12/23 vs SAS	9 2/5/20 @ DAL (2x)
AST	1 12/23 vs SAS	10 1/12/19 vs DEN
STL		6 8/9/20 @ TOR
BLK	2 12/23 vs SAS	2 1/12/20 vs GSW (8x)
+/-	-7 12/23 vs SAS	+29 8/7/20 vs OKC
MIN	25 12/23 vs SAS	36 12/10/18 vs LAC



#12 JA MORANT



HEIGHT: 6-2 1/2 | WEIGHT: 175
AGE: 21
PRIOR TO NBA: MURRAY STATE

YEARS PRO: 2nd NBA Season (2nd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 2nd overall in 2019 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: With the 2nd overall pick in 2019 NBA Draft

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	35	18	27	0.667	1	2	0.500	7	8	0.875	0	2	2	9	1	2	1	1	10	44
12/26 vs ATL	34	10	21	0.476	2	7	0.286	6	8	0.750	1	2	3	7	4	0	2	1	-2	28

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	2/2	PPG	36.0	RPG	2.5	APG	8.0	FG%	.583	3P%	.333	MIN	34.3
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2020-21 SEASON: Scored in double figures **twice**, including **two** games with at least 20 points and **one** game with at least 40 points... Scored a career-high 44 points (18-27 FG, 1-2 3P, 7-8 FT) with nine assists in the regular season opener on Dec. 23 vs. San Antonio, tying **Bryant Reeves'** single-game franchise record for field goals made (April 19, 1997)... Scored 34 points in the second half, tying **Jaren Jackson Jr.'**s franchise record for points in a single half (Dec. 13, 2019)... Became the youngest player in NBA history (21 yrs, 135 days) to score at least 40 points in a regular season opener.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	44 12/23 vs SAS	44 12/23/20 vs SAS
FG	18 12/23 vs SAS	18 12/23/20 vs SAS
3P	2 12/26 vs ATL	4 3/7/20 vs ATL (2x)
FT	7 12/23 vs SAS	11 8/11/20 vs BOS
REB	3 12/26 vs ATL	13 8/13/20 vs MIL
AST	9 12/23 vs SAS	14 2/29/20 vs LAL (2x)
STL	2 12/23 vs SAS	5 11/23/19 vs LAL
BLK	1 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	2 8/11/20 vs BOS (2x)
+/-	+10 12/23 vs SAS	+42 1/29/20 @ NYK
MIN	35 12/23 vs SAS	42 8/11/20 vs BOS

NOTE: Led NBA in assists per game during preseason (9.8).



#4 JONTAY PORTER



HEIGHT: 6-10 | WEIGHT: 236
AGE: 21
PRIOR TO NBA: MISSOURI

YEARS PRO: 2nd NBA Season (2nd with Grizzlies) / DNP in 2019-20
UNDRAFTED in 2019 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: Signed multi-year contract on 3/8/20

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS	
12/23 vs SAS																					
12/26 vs ATL																					

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	-	PPG	-	RPG	-	APG	-	FG%	-	STL	-	MIN	-
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2020-21 SEASON: Missed **two** games (Dec. 23-26) with right knee soreness.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS		
FG		
3P		
FT		
REB		
AST		
STL		
BLK		
+/-		
MIN		



#35 KILLIAN TILLIE (2W)



HEIGHT: 6-10 | WEIGHT: 220
AGE: 22
PRIOR TO NBA: GONZAGA

YEARS PRO: 1st NBA Season (1st with Grizzlies)
UNDRAFTED in 2020 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: Signed Two-Way contract on 11/24/20

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS	
12/23 vs SAS																					
12/26 vs ATL																					

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	-	PPG	-	RPG	-	APG	-	FG%	-	STL	-	MIN	-
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2020-21 SEASON: Missed **two** games (Dec. 23-26) with a right hamstring strain.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	NBA CAREER
PTS		
FG		
3P		
FT		
REB		
AST		
STL		
BLK		
+/-		
MIN		



#2 XAVIER TILLMAN SR.



HEIGHT: 6-8 | WEIGHT: 245
AGE: 21
PRIOR TO NBA: MICHIGAN STATE

YEARS PRO: 1st NBA Season (1st with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 35th overall in 2020 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: In a trade with Sacramento on 11/19/20

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS	
12/23 vs SAS																					
12/26 vs ATL																					

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	-	PPG	-	RPG	-	APG	-	FG%	-	STL	-	MIN	-
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2020-21 SEASON: Missed **two** games (Dec. 23-26) with left patellar tendinitis.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS		
FG		
3P		
FT		
REB		
AST		
STL		
BLK		
+/-		
MIN		



#17 JONAS VALANČIŪNAS



HEIGHT: 6-11 1/2 | WEIGHT: 265
AGE: 28
PRIOR TO NBA: LIETUVOS RYTAS

YEARS PRO: 9th NBA Season (3rd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 5th overall in 2011 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: In a trade with Toronto

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	30	6	11	0.545	1	1	1.000	2	6	0.333	3	10	13	2	4	1	1	1	-4	15
12/26 vs ATL	29	2	6	0.333	1	3	0.333	8	10	0.800	2	10	12	4	5	1	4	1	2	13

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	2/2	PPG	14.0	RPG	12.5	APG	3.0	FG%	.471	3P%	.500	MIN	29.2
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2020-21 SEASON: Scored in double figures twice... Grabbed double-digit rebounds twice... Posted two double-doubles.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS	15 12/23 vs SAS	34 3/30/19 @ PHO
FG	6 12/23 vs SAS	16 3/30/19 @ PHO
3P	1 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	3 1/5/20 @ PHO (2x)
FT	8 12/26 vs ATL	16 4/3/13 vs WAS
OREB	3 12/23 vs SAS	11 1/10/17 vs BOS (2x)
DREB	10 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	23 3/22/19 @ ORL
REB	13 12/23 vs SAS	25 2/28/20 vs SAC
AST	4 12/26 vs ATL	12 8/13/20 vs MIL
STL	1 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	3 12/4/19 @ CHI (5x)
BLK	1 12/26 vs ATL (2x)	7 4/1/16 @ MEM
+/-	+2 12/26 vs ATL	+33 12/15/17 vs BKN
MIN	30 12/23 vs SAS	45 3/21/14 vs OKC



#7 JUSTISE WINSLOW



HEIGHT: 6-6 | WEIGHT: 225
AGE: 24
PRIOR TO NBA: DUKE

YEARS PRO: 6th NBA Season (2nd with Grizzlies)
DRAFTED: 10th overall in 2015 NBA Draft
ACQUIRED: In a trade with Miami and Minnesota on 2/6/20

Last 5 Games	MIN	FG	FGA	FG%	3P	3PA	3P%	FT	FTA	FT%	ORB	DRB	REB	AST	PF	STL	TO	BLK	+/-	PTS
12/23 vs SAS	<i>Inactive (Left hip displacement)</i>																			
12/26 vs ATL	<i>Inactive (Left hip displacement)</i>																			

2020-21 SEASON AVERAGES	GP/S	-	PPG	-	RPG	-	APG	-	FG%	-	3P%	-	MIN	-
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2020-21 SEASON: Missed two games (Dec. 23-26) with a left hip displacement.

HIGHS	2020-21 SEASON	CAREER
PTS		28 12/10/18 @ LAL
FG		11 1/25/19 @ CLE (3x)
3P		6 12/10/18 @ LAL
FT		6 10/23/19 vs MEM (3x)
REB		13 10/26/19 @ MIL (4x)
AST		11 1/10/19 vs BOS
STL		4 4/10/19 @ BRK (7x)
BLK		3 1/27/18 vs CHA
+/-		+29 2/22/16 vs IND
MIN		46 12/20/16 vs ORL

2020-21 GRIZZLIES BY THE NUMBERS

PLAYER	POINTS				REBOUNDS		ASSISTS	LED GRIZZLIES IN (ties in parentheses)			PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
	10+	20+	30+	40+	10+	20+	10+	DbI-DbI	Tpl-DbI							
Allen	1															
Anderson	1	1			2			1			1			1		
Bane													(2)			
Brooks	2															
Clarke	1															
Dieng														(1)		
Jackson Jr.																
Jones																
Konchar													(1)			
McDermott ^{2W}																
Melton														(1)		
Morant	2	2	1	1							2	2	(1)		2	
Porter																
Tillie ^{2W}																
Tillman Sr.																
Valančiūnas	2				2			2			1					
Winslow																

STARTING LINEUPS (1)

PG	SG	SF	PF	C	GM	DATES	RECORD
Morant	Allen	Brooks	Anderson	Valančiūnas	2	12/23-26	0-2

RECORD AS STARTER

PLAYER	RECORD	WIN %
Allen	0-2	.000
Anderson	0-2	.000
Brooks	0-2	.000
Morant	0-2	.000
Valančiūnas	0-2	.000

GAMES MISSED – INJURIES/ILLNESS (10)

PLAYER	INJURY	GAMES	DATES	RECORD
Jaren Jackson Jr.	Left knee meniscus surgery recovery	2	12/23-26	0-2
Jontay Porter	Right knee soreness	2	12/23-26	0-2
Killian Tillie	Right hamstring strain	2	12/23-26	0-2
Xavier Tillman Sr.	Left patellar tendinitis	2	12/23-26	0-2
Justise Winslow	Left hip displacement	2	12/23-26	0-2

COMEBACK WINS

BLOWN LEADS

	COMEBACK WINS		BLOWN LEADS	
	Δ	Score/Time	Δ	Score/Time
All Games		Game (Result/Final Score)	+10	22-12 (7:13 left in 1Q)
At Home			+10	22-12 (7:13 left in 1Q)
On Road				12/23 vs SAS (L 119-131)

LARGEST LEAD

LARGEST DEFICIT

Largest Lead/Deficit *	Δ	Score/Time	Game (Result/Final Score)	Δ	Score/Time	Game (Result/Final Score)
	+10	22-12 (7:13 left in 1Q)	12/23 vs SAS (L 119-131)	-18	105-123 (3:32 left in 1Q)	12/23 vs SAS (L 119-131)

* - Grizzlies score listed first

MEMPHIS GRIZZLIES 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

G	Date	vs/@	W/L	Mem	Opp	Home	Road	Overall	Attend.	1Q	2Q	1H	3Q	4Q	2H	Grizz High PTS	Grizz High REB	Grizz High AST	Opp High PTS
1	12/23	SAS	L	119	131	0-1	0-0	0-1	-	33-30	20-36	53-66	35-33	31-32	66-65	Morant 44	Valančiūnas 13	Morant 9	DeRozan 28
2	12/26	ATL	L	112	122	0-2	0-0	0-2	-	22-27	34-31	56-58	32-29	24-35	56-64	Morant 28	Anderson 14	Morant 7	Young 36